

## NEW KIDNAPER IS AT LARGE ON PACIFIC COAST

### LINDBERG IS WINGING WAY TO GUATEMALA

### Eagle and Mother Said Good-bye to Mexico City This Morn

**BULLETIN**  
Washington, Dec. 28—(AP)—The State Department was informed this afternoon that Lindbergh landed at Guatemala City at 1:55 p. m. eastern Standard time.

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Brownsville, Tex., Dec. 28—(AP)—The big Ford plane carrying Mrs. Evangeline L. Lindbergh back to her school room in Detroit landed at the Port Brown Field here today at 12:13 p. m. from Mexico City.

**BULLETIN**  
Mexico City, Dec. 28—(AP)—The presidential office received a telegram stating that a plane apparently that of Col. Lindbergh passed over Cintalapa in the state of Chiapas at 10:20 A. M.

Zintalapa, also known as Cintalapa, is about 260 miles from Guadalupe City, Col. Lindbergh's goal. Col. Lindbergh's passage over this town would indicate that he had followed the line of the Sierra Madre moun-

### Exploits of Lone Eagle are Costly

New York, Dec. 28—(AP)—Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh has been "the most expensive hero the American public ever had," Ray Hall, director of the Pathe News Reel Service, said today.

Mr. Hall estimated that Colonel Lindbergh's aerial exploits since he hopped off for Paris have cost the photograph and news gathering associations \$5,000,000.

tains and has swung across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec and was advancing well into the state of Chiapas which is on the Guatemalan border.)

Valbuena Flying Field, Mexico City, Dec. 28—(AP)—Just as dawn lightened the flying field Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh hopped off at 6:35 A. M., today for Guatemala City, Guatemala, the first stop of his Central American good will flight.

The takeoff was made in almost perfect weather conditions. There was no wind and the slight veil of mist near the ground was not enough to interfere with visibility.

The flier's mother, who had not seen her famous son take off on his New York-to-Paris or Washington-to-Mexico City flights, was at the field to bid him goodbye on this his latest venture.

**Mother Leaves Also**  
A few minutes later at 6:36 A. M. Mrs. Lindbergh hopped off in the Ford plane which is to carry her back to her Detroit classroom. The plane took off perfectly and immediately headed east toward Tampico, accompanied by two army planes.

Lindbergh started the Spirit of St. Louis across the field the moment there was sufficient light to see the ground. He glided into the air after running half the length of the field. The plane described a great curve to the south and then turned east toward the sunrise. It turned again toward the south and soon became a black speck against the rosy horizon. Then with the escort of Mexican army planes it was soon lost to sight.

**Private Farewell**  
Lindbergh and his mother said farewell to each other privately at the American embassy before coming to the flying field. The Lone Eagle's public parting with his mother at Valbuena consisted merely of shaking hands just before he entered the cockpit of the Spirit of St. Louis. Then he kissed his mother's hand and said, "Good bye mother."

When Lindbergh came to the field he was dressed in a dark business suit. He put his flying suit over this just before entering the plane.

He shook hands with Dwight W. Morrow, American ambassador, Mrs. Morrow, members of the embassy staff and a group of Mexican army aviators. Smiling, he said "goodbye" to each one of them.

**Embassy Staff There**  
Mrs. Lindbergh, the embassy party and Mexican officials stood on the field eagerly watching the Spirit of St. Louis until it disappeared. Then Mrs. Lindbergh and Mr. and Mrs. William B. Stout entered the cabin of the Ford plane. Ambassador and Mrs. Morrow and members of the embassy said farewell there.

General Caloca, commandant of the flying field, was present as the personal representative of President Calles and said goodbye to the flier for the President. Lindbergh had bid the President goodbye personally yesterday afternoon.

### TEXAS RANGERS TO USE PLANE IN GANG HUNT

### Will be Sent After Two Bank Robbers Now Cornered

Graham, Tex., Dec. 28—(AP)—Texas Rangers who have refused to entirely abandon cow ponies to bring "the law" to isolated places, today had an airplane equipped with machine guns to lead posses in an attack on a bandit lair.

Ranger Captain Tom Hickman ordered the airplane when deputies reported they had cornered two bandits of a gang of five which raided a bank at Cisco Friday under the leadership of a robber dressed as Santa Claus.

One of the bandits died of wounds a short time after the robbery while another was captured near here last night after he had been seriously wounded.

Captain Hickman said the two fugitives were believed to have been cornered at a bend of the Brazos river near here and that they had plenty of ammunition. Both were thought to have been wounded in a skirmish in which they exchanged fire with officers.

Captain Hickman said that as the bandits occupied a commanding position, he hoped to "get them" with fire from the air, to avoid further casualties among citizens.

One police officer was killed and eight citizens wounded when the bandits fired at random as they left Cisco, shielded by two school girls they forced into their automobile.

### REMUS FIGHTING TO KEEP OUT OF INSANE ASYLUM

### Alienist Calls Him "Dangerous" Today in Sanity Court

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 28—(AP)—George Remus today began the Probate Court fight which will send him forth freed of all blame for slaying his wife here last October 6 or to the state hospital for the criminal insane at Lima.

The court battle, brought on by the verdict a week ago of the jury in his murder trial that he was not guilty on the sole ground of insanity, began under conditions far different from those of the jury hearing.

Where hundreds struggled daily for six weeks to see the judge, jury, legal array and the chief figure, the former Chicago lawyer who became the "King of Bootleggers," only a handful were present today.

These persons were present: Remus; his counsel, Charles H. Elston; Prosecutor Charles P. Taft II, and the two assistants who helped him in the murder trial; three Probate Court alienists; Judge William H. Lucders, a stenographer, seven newspaper reporters, two photographers, a cartoonist, and two bailiffs, totalling 22.

Called as a witness for Remus, Dr. David I. Wolfstein, one of the three alienists who reported at the murder trial that Remus was sane, tossed a bomb shell into the defense ranks.

"Ruthless, reckless, selfish, egotistic, the kind of man who takes the law into his own hands, a man of irregular tendencies, with a leaning toward the criminal side," was Dr. Wolfstein's picture of Remus.

**"Is Dangerous Man."**  
"You consider him a dangerous man?" asked Dr. Herman H. Hoppe, one of the Probate Court alienists.

"Certainly do," replied Dr. Wolfstein, with a pause between each word and each syllable heavily stressed.

Dr. Wolfstein testified that in conducting his own defense in the murder trial Remus had displayed much legal capability, and that he judged him to be a man of considerable capacity.

Rev. Frank Brandellner attended the funeral of the late Mrs. J. H. Johnson of Ashton this afternoon, wife of a former pastor of the Dixon Grace Evangelical church.

### DIXONITES INJURED WHILE ON WAY FOR HOLIDAY VISIT WITH RELATIVES AT TIPTON SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon F. Myers of this city, with their children were victims of a bad accident Sunday morning between 7 o'clock while enroute from Dixon to Tipton, Iowa, to spend the holidays with relatives. West of Sterling on the Lincoln Highway, the car is believed to have struck a guy wire which tore away a part of the top of the car and put it in the ditch. Mrs. Myers and two daughters were badly cut from broken glass and were picked up by passing motorists and hurried to Sterling where they were given medical attention and then returned to their home here. Mr. Myers sustained slight cuts but was badly bruised about the body and it is possible that small bones in the right arm were broken. Their car was practically demolished and all were at their homes here recovering from their wounds. A boy and a baby escaped without injury.

### TWO ROCKFORD MEN SOUGHT IN GALENA MURDER

### Wanted in Connection With Slaying of Dubuque Men

Rockford.—An intensive man hunt for Tony Barbaro, and a man known only as "Rockford Joe," is being directed by Sheriff Harry J. Baldwin in co-operation with the sheriffs of Stephenson and Jo Daviess counties.

They are wanted as suspects in the brutal murder recently of Claude Tiberghien and Ray McGrath, Dubuque, six miles west of Elizabeth.

Frank Macigno, Dubuque fruit dealer, is being held at Galena without bond, a warrant charging him with murder being issued there Saturday.

**Retaliation for "Hi-jacking?"**  
The trio is suspected of having lured the murdered men to "Rattle Snake" hill where they were bound together and shot several times through the heads within a few yards of the Grant highway a week ago.

Revenge because Tiberghien and McGrath are said to have "hi-jacked" a cargo of Rockford alcohol bound for Iowa distribution centers, is said to have been the motive.

State Highway Patrolmen Van Gorder and Hutton, Freeport, and Deputy Sheriffs Earl Rhodes and Harry Rose have been seeking the two Rockford men since, but without success.

**Disappear After Shooting.**  
According to Macigno, Tiberghien, McGrath and a man known only to him as "Tony the Wop," believed to have been Barbaro, and her three male companions in "The Dawn" center today in the possibility that the plane might be down in some isolated spot not far from Harbor Grace, N. F.

This possibility rested upon a radio message which a telegraph operator at Heart's Content, 25 miles from Harbor Grace, says he intercepted Monday afternoon and upon the claims of various persons in Newfoundland and Nova Scotia that they heard the motor of a plane at different times between Saturday morning and late Sunday night.

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The Los Angeles went as far as Emerald Banks, about 120 miles from Sable Island, whence had come the news that a message, signed with the call letters of "The Dawn" was received Sunday night, reporting "something wrong."

The dirigible covered a strip of 40 miles in width, but saw no sign of the missing plane.

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### HOPE WANING FOR THE DAWN, MISSING SHIP

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"Sunshine was ample. There was no measurable precipitation, and the weather was excellent for corn husking."

### WORDS SCRATCHED IN SAND ON LAKE BEACH ONLY CLUE

### Members of Prominent Glencoe Family Missing Since Monday

Chicago, Dec. 28—(AP)—A sentence scratched in the sand of a Lake Michigan beach afforded the only clue today to the whereabouts of Alexander Maitland, 25, and Robert Chase, 14, brothers-in-law who disappeared from Glencoe, Ill., last Monday when they departed on a hunting expedition.

The lettering which read, "I'm going to run away," was signed "Robert Chase."

While not ignoring the possibility that the writing in the sand may be important, officers thought it more likely that one of the hundreds of volunteer searchers for the missing pair scratched it in the beach.

Every inlet of the lake near Glencoe has been searched, boats have gone out into the lake and two airplanes have been employed in the search for Maitland and Chase, members of a prominent family of the Chicago suburb.

Maitland and young Chase set forth before breakfast last Monday, declaring they would return by 9 a. m. obtaining, they hoped, "a duck or two."

United States Coast Guard crews at Evanston, Ill., Kenosha, Racine and Milwaukee, Wis., have been asked by Chicago Coast Guard officers to aid in the search of Lake Michigan for the two.

A flat-bottomed boat, usually tied at a Glencoe landing, has been missing several days, and officers regard it as possible that the two used the boat to go out on the lake; were caught by an off-shore wind and carried out beyond sight of shore watchers.

### Chas. Entorf, Amboy Manufacturer, Hurt

(Telegraph Special Service)  
Amboy, Dec. 28—Charles Entorf of the Entorf Filter Company suffered a painful injury while working in the machine shop at his plant late Saturday afternoon. Mr. Entorf was operating a press when in some manner his right hand became caught in the mechanism and three fingers were badly lacerated. The injury was of such a nature that parts of the three fingers had to be removed. He was taken to the Amboy hospital for treatment and today was reported to be resting quite comfortably from his painful accident.

**SINGER GETS DIVORCE**  
Waukegan, Ill., Dec. 28—(AP)—Marian Claire Cook, 23-year-old opera singer, now appearing at the Staat Theater in Berlin, has been granted a divorce from Wesley Behel, in an action brought in the Lake County Circuit Court.

The decree signed yesterday by Judge C. C. Edwards, after he had heard two witnesses in behalf of the singer, became public today. The youthful prima donna alleged desertion. Although Behel entered a general denial he did not contest the action in court.

**Mendota Section Man Badly Hurt**  
Mendota.—Joseph Smith of Mendota was seriously injured late Saturday afternoon when the east-end section crew of the C. B. & Q. railway was returning home from work on a motor car.

Mr. Smith who received a fractured skull and several scalp wounds was taken to the Harris hospital where he still remains unconscious.

The motor car on which four men, M. Peterson, foreman; Smith, Joseph Clarke and Charles Gustavson, was derailed, probably from the flange of the wheel hitting a rock on the road crossing two miles east of Mendota. When the car was derailed the men were thrown from it and when they regained consciousness they found Smith unconscious.

Smith was riding in the fore part of the car and his wounds are probably caused by his head striking the ballast on the side of the tracks.

### WEATHER

WRONG SIZES WILL CAUSE MANY HAPPY RETURNS AFTER CHRISTMAS.



Chicago and Vicinity—Unsettled tonight and Thursday, rain probable; snow by Thursday night; colder Thursday; much colder Thursday night; lowest temperature tonight slightly above freezing; strong southerly winds shifting to west or northwest Thursday.

**Illinois**—Unsettled tonight and Thursday, rain probable, changing to snow in west portion; colder Thursday and in west portion late tonight.

**Wisconsin**—Unsettled tonight and Thursday, rain changing to snow, except snow in northwest portion; colder, much colder Thursday.

**Iowa**—Mostly cloudy tonight and east and north portions, except rain changing to snow in extreme east; much colder.

### TWO KILLED IN RENEWAL GANGS' WAR IN CHICAGO

### Beer Runner and One of Attackers Were Killed in Fight

Chicago, Dec. 28—(AP)—Two men were dead today in what police believed was a renewal of gang warfare, following a holiday truce.

A volley of revolver shots greeted Charles Miller, beer runner, as he started to Rob's Lone Tree Tavern on the northwest side in the early hours of the morning. He fell with four shots in the head and several in the body. Although Miller apparently recognized his assassins, he died without speaking and the men escaped.

About an hour later, a man was taken to a hospital by several companions who dropped him on the floor and left, telling a nurse they were going for his hat and coat. They did not return, but the man was later identified as John Davis.

He was believed to have been a member of the gang that shot Miller and was accidentally wounded in the head by one of his own party. Unable to talk, he died within a short time after his companions left. A bullet hole on the left side of a hat dropped near the doorway of the tavern, corresponds in position with the wound in Davis' left temple.

Miller had been admitted to the Tavern after it had been closed. Robert Treebus, owner, said, after a few minutes of conversation, Treebus unlocked the door to let his visitor go and the gang pushed in. They did not attempt to shoot Treebus or his employees, and as they entered an automobile they were seen to assist a companion, believed to have been Davis.

**Funeral Jeremiah Murphy on Tuesday**  
The funeral of Jeremiah Murphy, Dixon pioneer, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Krot, 110 Tenth street, at 8:30 Christmas morning, was held at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday morning at St. Patrick's Catholic church, with burial in Oakwood cemetery.

Mr. Murphy was 87 years of age, came to Dixon in his childhood and became one of the best known men in the community, where he lived practically all of his life. His death was caused by pneumonia after an illness of about ten days. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Champ Barth and Mrs. Frank Krot; three sons, Dennis, James and John Murphy, and a number of grand children.

Pall-bearers at his funeral were John H. Loftus, John P. Drew, Thomas Prindaville, Edward Ennis, Michael Ennis and Peter McCoy; and those from out-of-town who attended the last rites were: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moore, Mrs. M. Murphy, Mrs. Orville Drew and daughter, Lorraine, and Mrs. Margaret Bucher of Chicago.

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### Mrs. Jos. Bauer of West Brooklyn Dead

Mrs. Joseph B. Bauer passed away Monday at her home in West Brooklyn, death closing an illness of long duration. Funeral services will be conducted Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the family residence and at 1:30 from the church. Interment will be in the West Brooklyn cemetery.

**BOOSTER TANK ON NEW PUMPER OF DIXON FIRE DEPARTMENT IS BURSTED WHILE AT WORK TODAY**

A large truck belonging to the Dixon Fruit Company was badly damaged by fire this morning about 7:15 while being filled with gasoline ready for an early delivery of fruit and vegetables. The truck was parked alongside the company's warehouse on Crawford avenue and the fire department was summoned to extinguish the blaze.

While the firemen were directing their attention to the burning truck and its load, the booster tank on the new fire truck burst. The tank has a capacity of 250 pounds pressure and the pumper had sent this up to only 80 pounds, when apparently a weak spot in the tank gave way and water was thrown some distance. Returning to the fire station after the fire had been extinguished, the broken tank was repaired and a new tank ordered from the Chicago branch.

### Terse Items of News Gathered in Dixon During Day

### SHOT BIG GREY FOX.

Charles Moser, foreman at the Nettz & Company garage, shot one of the largest foxes that has been seen in this locality, Monday while hunting near Grand Detour. He with some friends were hunting on an island when he spied the fox and shot it with a .20 gauge shot gun.

### COUNCIL MEETING.

Mayor Frank D. Palmer, who is suffering from a severe cold, was unable to attend the regular weekly meeting of the city council last evening and Commissioner Geo. Campbell presided in his absence. There was very little business to come before the body. The Mayor was back in his office today for a short time.

### FR. STORY LEAVES.

Rev. Fr. G. Carlton Story and family went to Chicago this morning, where the popular clergyman will take up the rectorship of the Church of the Mediator, Morgan Park. His residence will be at 11051 South Hoyne avenue, where he and his good wife will always welcome any of their Dixon friends, who are many and whose very best wishes follow them to their new home.

### NO BAND REHEARSAL.

There will be no rehearsal of the Y. M. C. A. Boys' band this evening because of conflicting dates.

### FILIPINO VISITOR.

Cornelia O. Lopez, a native of the Philippine Islands, who has been visiting in Dixon over Christmas, left yesterday for Detroit, Mich., to attend a convention of The Filipino Student's Christian Movement. About three hundred students are expected at the convention from all parts of America and Canada. Mr. Lopez, who is fitting himself for the medical profession will have a part on the program.

### VIOLATED PAROLE.

Richard McVey of this city was taken into the county court this morning for violation of his parole. He was arrested by the police after the holiday for being intoxicated and abusing his family, and was sent to the county jail for his inability to pay a fine of \$10 and costs. Judge William L. Leach ordered that McVey pay a fine of \$700 and the county stand committed in the county jail for a period of sixty days at the expiration of the city sentence for violation of his parole.

### Funeral of Darius Sawyer on Thursday

The funeral of the late Darius M. Sawyer will be held from the home of his son, Dole Sawyer, 1421 Tenth street, Thursday afternoon at 1:30. The remains will be taken to the Lee Center cemetery for interment, officers and members of Dixon lodge of Elks having charge of the services at the grave.

**Darius Sawyer**  
Darius Sawyer, son of Darius and Sophronia Parker Sawyer, was born in Lee Center township, February 20th, 1851 and all of his life was spent principally in Lee county. In 1917 diabetes developed and he was a constant and patient sufferer until Tuesday, Dec. 27, when death ended his suffering. He was united in marriage to Eureka A. Leavens, March 13, 1876.

He leaves to mourn his demise: his wife, three children, all living in Dixon: Mrs. Mabel A. Miller, Wayne L. and Dole M., one daughter having died in early life. Six grandchildren, two great grandchildren, two sisters and one brother, three nephews and three nieces also survive his passing.

### Illegal Taxes are Refunded by Govt.



## TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

## Chicago Grain Table

Close	Close Opening	Yesterday	Year Ago	Today
WHEAT—	1.25 1/2	1.35	1.26	
Dec.	1.27 1/2		1.27 1/2	
March	1.28 1/2	1.38 1/2	1.29	
May	1.28 1/2	1.38 1/2	1.29	
July	1.24 1/2	1.30 1/2	1.24 1/2	

CORN—				
Dec.	81	69 1/2	81 1/2	
March	85 1/2		85 1/2	
May	88 1/2		88 1/2	
July	91 1/2		83 1/2	91 1/2

OATS—				
Dec.	51	45 1/2	51 1/2	
March	53 1/2		53 1/2	
May	54 1/2		54 1/2	
July	52 1/2		47 1/2	52 1/2

RYE—				
Dec.	1.05	93 1/2		
March	1.07 1/2			
May	1.07 1/2		99 1/2	1.08

LARD—				
Dec.	11.42	12.20		
Jan.	11.97	12.30	11.92	
May	12.30	12.60	12.25	

RIBS—				
Dec.	10.20			
Jan.	11.25	13.80	11.20	
May	11.45	13.80	11.50	

BELLIES—				
Dec.	11.50			
Jan.	11.95	15.30	11.90	
May	12.47	15.30	12.40	

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—			
Dec.	1.27 1/2	1.25 1/2	1.27
March	1.28 1/2	1.27 1/2	1.28 1/2
May	1.29 1/2	1.29	1.29 1/2
July	1.25 1/2	1.24 1/2	1.25 1/2

CORN—				
Dec.	82 1/2	81 1/2	82 1/2	
March	86 1/2	85 1/2	86 1/2	
May	89 1/2	88 1/2	89 1/2	
July	92 1/2	91 1/2	92 1/2	

OATS—				
Dec.	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2	
March	54 1/2	53 1/2	54 1/2	
May	55 1/2	54 1/2	55 1/2	
July	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2	

RYE—				
Dec.	1.05 1/2	1.05	1.05 1/2	
March	1.07 1/2	1.07 1/2	1.07 1/2	
May	1.08 1/2	1.08	1.08 1/2	

LARD—				
Dec.	11.40			
Jan.	11.95	11.90	11.90	
May	12.30	12.25	12.25	

RIBS—				
Dec.	10.20			
Jan.	11.20	10.87	10.87	
May	11.50	11.37	11.37	

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Dec.	11.50			
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May	12.45	12.40	12.40	

## Chicago Produce

Chicago, Dec. 28.—(AP)—No poultry market today owing to death of former president of poultry exchange Frank Kelly.

Potatoes: receipts 76 cars, on track 203, total U. S. shipments 446; demand and movement slow, market dull; few sales reported; Wisconsin sacked round whites 1.50@1.65; Idaho sacked russets No. 1, 1.50@1.70; partly graded 1.35@1.50.

Butter: unsettled; receipts 14,138 tubs; creamery extras 50 1/2; standard 47 1/2; extra firsts 47 1/2@49; firsts 42 1/2@44; seconds 38@40.

Eggs: unchanged; receipts 6357 cases.

## Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Hogs: receipts 24,000; fairly active to shippers, traders and small local packers; around steady at Tuesday's best prices; top 8.85; bulk good and choice 8.50 to 8.80; 160 to 200 lbs. 8.30@8.55; 140 to 180 lbs. 8.00@8.25; most packing sows 7.40@7.65; pigs in narrow demand, weak; spots lower; bulk around 7.50; light kinds down to 7.00; heavyweight hogs 8.25@8.85; medium 8.15@8.75; light 7.85@8.60; light light 7.65@8.40; packing sows 7.15@7.85; slaughter pigs 7.00@8.00.

Cattle: 8,000; fairly active; generally steady on fat steers; fat cows and heifers strong to 25c higher; cutters strong; bulls strong to 10c higher; stockers and feeders firm at Tuesday's advance; vealers steady; weighty steers getting action and substantial premium over lighter weight offerings of comparable grades; most fed steers 12.00@15.00; best early 16.00; prospective top 17.00; most weighty sausage bulls 7.75@8.00; best 8.15; vealers 11.00@12.00 to big killers; outsiders 13.00@14.50; few 15.00; low cutter cows 5.35@5.50.

Sheep: 20,000; fat lambs opening slow, steady to 25c lower than Tuesday; heavy and choice kinds showing full decline; top to shippers 13.00; bulk good to choice 7.50 to 9.00 lbs. lambs 12.00@13.75; good 9.00 lb. yearlings 10.00; sheep steady, fat ewes 6.00@7.00; feeding lambs unchanged; good 6.8 lb. offerings 12.50.

Estimated receipts: cattle 9,000; hogs 48,000; sheep 21,000.

## Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Wheat. No. 1 northern spring 1.29.

Corn (new) No. 3 mixed 77; No. 5

mixed 73 1/2@74; No. 4 yellow 79 1/2@81 1/2; No. 5 yellow 77 1/2@78 1/2; No. 6 yellow 70@74 1/2; No. 4 white 77 1/2@78 1/2; No. 5 white 77; sample grade 63 1/2@70; (old) No. 6 white 81 1/2@82 1/2; sample grade 77.

Oats, No. 2 white 51 1/2@53; No. 3 white 53 1/2@54 1/2.

Barley 82@90.

Timothy 3.00@3.75.

Clover seed 21.75@29.00.

Local Markets

## DIXON MILK PRICE

From Dec. 1 until further notice the Borden company will pay for milk testing 4 per cent butter fat, received \$2.45 per hundred pounds for direct ratio.

## Local Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cleary and Miss Aleta Hubble motored to Clinton Iowa, Monday where they spent the afternoon.

Headquarters for sale bills, B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

Donald Grover is confined to his home suffering from an infection in his foot.

Harold Manning, who spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Manning, returned to Chicago Sunday afternoon.

Miss Gertrude Manning, registrar at the Dixon State Hospital, spent the week end with her sister in Chicago, returning home Monday evening.

Miss Carolyn Grammas of the interior decorating department of the Howell-Page store has returned from Watertown, Wis., where she spent the Christmas holidays with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Howell spent Tuesday in Chicago.

Attorney and Mrs. Edward Henske and children, Bobbie and Jean, returned to their home in St. Louis today after a holiday visit with Mrs. Henske's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mathias of Palmyra, Pa.

## BIRTHS

RYAN—Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Ryan of Nazareth, Pa., formerly of Dixon, a 12 pound son.

## Lodge News

## DIXON ELKS SPECIAL

A special meeting of Dixon lodge of Elks will be held Thursday evening at 7:30 at the club house. A class of candidates will be initiated and a social session will follow. The reorganized degree team will also be seen in action at this meeting.

## ILLINI BEATEN BY WASHINGTON HUSKIES, 34-23

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 28.—(AP)—The first Big Ten basketball squad to invade the Pacific Coast, met defeat here last night when the Washington Huskies trimmed Craig Ruby's first Illini 5, 34 to 23, in the first of a three game series dedicating Washington's new field house. Lineup:

Washington

Snyder, R. F. 7 1

Bolstad, L. F. 3 0

Hack, C. 1 1

James, R. G. 2 3

Dalquest, L. G. 1 1

Illinois

Olson, R. F. 0 1

How, L. F. 2 2

Lindsay, C. 2 0

Cann, R. G. 2 0

Mills, L. G. 1 0

Dorm, R. F. 1 1

Short, C. 1 1

Score at Half—Washington 20, Illinois 14. Referee—Mulligan. Umpire—Morris.

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Alton Stenographer

Killed on Crossing

Alton, Ill., Dec. 28.—(AP)—Ethel Stadelman, 20-year-old stenographer of Bunker, Ill., died today of injuries received last night when the coupe in which she was riding was struck by a switch train on the St. Louis road crossing in East Alton.

Edgar Tipton, 19, who was driving the car, received a fractured leg and severe cuts, but his condition is not considered critical. A drizzling rain made visibility poor.

HEADS STEEL & WIRE CO.

New York, Dec. 28.—(AP)—James S. Keefe, vice president of the American Steel & Wire Company for 27 years, has been elected its president to succeed William M. Palmer, who died recently. Mr. Palmer was a director of the United States Steel Corporation.

NOTICE.

On and after December 20th, the office of The Rock River Egg Co., at Dixon, Ill., will be discontinued. All future business will be transacted at the office of the company at 1014 Fulton St., Chicago, Ill. Rock River Egg Co. 29816\*

Editor's Mother Dead

Des Moines, Iowa, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Mrs. P. M. O'Flaherty, mother of Hal O'Flaherty, foreign editor of the Chicago Daily News, died at her home here yesterday afternoon following a heart attack. She had been active in club and patriotic work here.

SETS CLEMENCY HEARING

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 28.—(AP)—Governor Smith today set Thursday, January 5, for the clemency hearing for Henry Judd Gray and Mrs. Ruth Snyder, convicted of the murder of Albert Snyder, magazine art editor, in Queens Village, New York.

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Target shoot and raffling Friday afternoon, Dec. 30, 3 miles east Pennsylvania Corners, 1 mile west Oak Ridge church. Bring shells. John Heckman, 30212\*

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Card party of 500 and Bunco in hall over Trust & Savings bank, Dec. 29, at 8 o'clock. Refreshments and prizes. Admission 25c. 1t

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# PAGE for WOMEN

## SOCIETY NEWS

### Calendar of Coming Events

**Wednesday**  
L. O. O. M.—Moore Hall.  
Kendall Club—Picnic supper, Mrs. George Dixon.  
Dorothy Chapter, No. 371, O. E. S.—Masonic Temple.  
Prairieville Social Circle—Mrs. Ellis Williams.

**Thursday**  
Zion Household Science Club—Mrs. B. J. Wolf.  
Alumni Northwestern University—Dinner at Dixon Inn.

**Friday**  
Woman's Auxiliary St. Luke's church—Guild rooms.

### OLD MASTERS

I see the rainbow in the sky,  
The dew upon the grass;  
I see them, and I ask not why  
They glimmer or they pass.  
With folded arms I linger not  
To call them back: 'twere vain:  
In this, or in some other spot,  
I know they'll shine again.  
—Walter Savage Landor: Resignation.

### Bridge Club of Compton Entertained

The members of the Bridge Club of Compton were entertained at a charming dinner and Christmas party Wednesday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Pool.

The dining table was very prettily decorated with a small Christmas tree in the center and Christmas tapers on either side which furnished the light for the dinner served at 6:30 o'clock.

In the living room a lighted Christmas tree had been provided for the guests and many dainty gifts were distributed from it at a later hour.

The evening was passed playing duplicate bridge and the prizes went to Mrs. Daisy Triebert and Miss L. A. Risley, the winning pair.

### LIFE'S NICETIES

**HINTS ON ETIQUETTE—**  
1. If visiting a metropolitan apartment dweller who takes her meals outside, what should you be careful to do?  
2. If visiting a friend who goes to business each day, how can you relieve her of the strain of having to entertain you?  
3. Are there any other ways of making yourself a welcome guest?

**The Answers**  
1. Pay for your own meals.  
2. By sight-seeing, visiting galleries, shopping or in other ways take care of yourself while she is away.  
3. By planning an evening for yourself once in a while to give her a chance to be alone.

### Mystic Workers Held Meeting

The Mystic Workers held an interesting meeting Friday evening. Excellent reports are being given of the card parties by the Mystics and one will be given each Thursday evening until further notice, on the third floor of the Trust and Savings Bank.

Mrs. Ethel Trotter gave a splendid report of her trip to Chicago to meeting of field workers. All members are requested to attend the next meeting of the lodge as there is business of importance.

### Christmas Party at Roy Crawford Home

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Crawford delightfully entertained with a Christmas dinner Monday at their home in the country. The following guests were present—Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Soper and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde C. Cortright of Dixon; and Robert Herbst and daughter Inez of Nachusa. Besides the dinner, a Christmas tree, laden with gifts was a feature of the day.

### ENTERTAINED AT GOOSE DINNER MONDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Burhenn and daughter Bernice of Nachusa entertained Monday at a goose dinner Mr. and Mrs. John Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Erbes and daughter Norma Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Petrie, and daughter Leona, and sons Raymond and Donald Petrie, of Franklin Grove; Mr. and Mrs. August Burhenn of Dixon and Miss Elsie Schick of South Dixon.

### MR. AND MRS. KEITH ENTERTAINED AT DINNER, CHRISTMAS

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Keith entertained at dinner Christmas Day: Mrs. Sarah Gaffney and daughter Marvel of Chicago, W. H. Ornela and family and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Bale of Freeport, and Mrs. Catherine Quinn and family of Dixon.

### NO REHEARSAL OF CHOIR THIS WEEK

There will be no rehearsal of the choir of the Methodist church this week, because of the holiday season, but the director, Mrs. Bertha Bennett Erickson, asks that all members be in their places for the services the coming Sunday.

### MENU for the FAMILY

**BREAKFAST**—Oranges, cereal cooked with raisins, cream, corned beef hash, tomato sauce, crisp toast, milk, coffee.

**LUNCHEON**—Scalloped cabbage, egg and lettuce sandwiches, apple dumplings, milk, tea.

**DINNER**—Casserole of rabbit, twice baked potatoes, creamed cauliflower, stuffed celery, orange soufflé, milk, coffee.

Small children should not be allowed to eat game, so a lamb chop or scraped beef patty might be provided for their dinner at noon time and no meat served to them at night.

### Casserole of Rabbit

Be sure that the tiny kernels under the forepaws of the rabbit have been removed when the rabbit was dressed. Cover with cold salt water and let stand over night or six, or eight hours. Drain and dip out. Put into a kettle with one medium sized onion, cover with boiling water and parboil for thirty minutes. Drain and throw away the water. Roll pieces of rabbit in flour and brown quickly on all sides in a hot frying pan using half butter and half lard. Put rabbit into a casserole with 1 cup diced carrots, 1-2 cup diced celery, 2 tablespoons minced onion, 1 cup diced tart apple. Make a thin gravy in the frying pan in which the rabbit was browned and pour over combination in casserole. There should be enough gravy to completely cover rabbit and vegetables. Cover casserole and cook one hour in a moderate oven. Salt and pepper are added to the gravy to season the entire dish. One and one-half teaspoons salt and 1-4 teaspoon pepper season it nicely.  
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### Mrs. Minerva Phillips' Christmas Party

Mrs. Minerva Phillips, 714 West Second street, was hostess on Christmas Day to a company of twenty-five relatives who enjoyed the hospitality to the full. An excellent scramble dinner was served at one o'clock. The afternoon passed enjoyably in visiting and music furnished by Edna Hanne Pine, Bessie and Clifford Missman. Four generations were present to enjoy the day: Herman Missman, Arthur Missman, Mrs. Lester Hoyle and Master Richard Hoyle, aged 3.

The following were present: Mrs. John Missman, Mrs. Hannah Heiman, Mrs. Anna C. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Missman, A. E. Missman and family, O. E. Missman and family, M. W. Missman, Lester Hoyle and family, Mrs. John Hann, Edna Hanne Pine, W. E. Goodyear, Miss Mary Goodyear, William Nixon, Jr.

### Brown Shoe Company Christmas Dance

The employees of the Brown Shoe Company were given a Christmas dance at Rosbrook hall Friday evening, Dec. 23rd. Refreshments were served throughout the evening and the children were each given a sack of Christmas candy. During the evening, Mr. Libby, the superintendent, was presented with a beautiful Christmas card by the employees. Excellent music was furnished by the orchestra and all present enjoyed the evening immensely.

### MR. AND MRS. PENNY ENTERTAINED

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Penny entertained at Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barnhart and daughter Alice Marie, and son, Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Simmonds and baby son, Mory Blair, Mr. and Mrs. George Sprinkle and daughter Georgia May and Betty Lou.

### WERE GUESTS AT WIRTH HOME MONDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wirth entertained at dinner Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Orville Heckman and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heckman and son. The evening was happily spent in playing five hundred following the dinner.

### WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO MEET FRIDAY AFTERNOON

The Woman's Auxiliary to St. Luke's Episcopal church will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 in the Guild rooms at the church. An election of officers will be held at this time and a full attendance of members is desired.

### ENTERTAINED WITH WAFFLE BREAKFAST

This morning Mrs. Belle Weibezahn entertained delightfully six guests with a waffle breakfast honoring Mrs. Helen Ransom, sister of Mrs. Will Smith, who is here from Green Bay, Wis., visiting relatives and friends. Christmas decorations added to the gaiety of the event.



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### The WOMAN'S DAY by ALLENE SUMNER

Just who is the head of the family has been settled at last by none less than the Income Tax department of the Internal Revenue Bureau. At least, so they say. That organization says that, regardless who thinks he or she is boss, the person is "the head of the family" who "supports and maintains in one household one or more individuals who are closely connected with him, etc." The bureau seems to think that it has solved the problem of receiving more than one "head of the house" declaration from the same family.

It's difficult to see that they have done anything at all. For in a vast number of homes both husband and wife earn and "support and maintain." How the makers of laws do hate to admit the new ways and forget the old ones!

### QUEEN WANTS BOB

The Queen of Spain recently confided to a manicurist in a Paris beauty parlor that she envied every bob she saw but could not have one because short hair would not go with formal court dress. The hairdressers used to stress the fact that "Milady" (gosh, how I hate that overworked word!) couldn't wear her bob with evening clothes and must have her wig. But how many girls wig themselves for the evening dress? For every head of long hair at dances there are 50 short ones, and I at least, can see no special incongruity. This idea that fluffy dresses and long hair must go together is only a hang over from the tradition which insists that only dressy dresses and long hair are really feminine.

### YOUTH NOT SO BRAVE

Judge Ben Lindsey makes an especially interesting comment in his thought-provoking "Companionate Marriage" on the subject of this "free and independent Younger Generation."

"Our apparently free and independent Younger Generation are no more free from this coercion of custom than their elders," he writes. "It is merely they have a different set of customs. Youth detests the shibboleths of its elders, but it has shibboleths of its own which are as tyrannous as anything it has escaped from. Most young people wear the same clothes, they do the same things in the same way, and are so lacking in individual initiative and originality in their relations to each other that I count it one of the clearest evidences of the painful crudity and want of culture which are an outstanding characteristic of their present stage of development."

### 'TD DIE FIRST!

Youth, for instance, has so much to say about the prejudices of their mothers in the way of dress. They laugh at their long skirts and feathered hats and bustles and shirtheists. But just try getting any flapper to be brave enough to wear a long skirt, long underwear, and cotton stockings! She'd die first, which is all her 'daring and bravery and independence' amount to!

### 'NEW WOMAN' KILLER

An Ohio bride of 21 quarreled with her husband over an invitation to a certain bridge party. The husband disapproved of her hostess and urged his wife not to go. She confessed after his body was found, that she hit him over the head with a hammer, put on her hat and coat, drove her roadster to the bridge party, greeted her hostess, went up to the bathroom to wash off bloodstains on her hands and wrists, played bridge for hours, danced, laughed, played jazz and sang, slept well, ate a good breakfast, and was still "carrying on" fine and dandy when the sheriff came to gently break the news that her husband was dead.

### FOOLISH!

"New woman murder," shout the headlines, explaining that the murderess was one of these restless modern women who had to be on the eternal go or she would even kill. Appearances! This, like all murders, was merely the work of an abnormal person, male or female, new-fashionedness nor old-fashionedness has nothing to do with it.

### ENTERTAINED AT DINNER CHRISTMAS

Mr. and Mrs. James Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cleary entertained at Christmas dinner: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Schauf and son Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fordyce and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Finnegan, Misses Ruth Cleary and Aletha Hubbel and William Curran and P. J. Cleary, the latter of Chicago.

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### Wiley-Erickson Marriage Sunday

Miss Alice L. Erickson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Erickson of Eldena, and Myron R. Wiley of Eldena, were united in marriage Christmas morning, Sunday, at 9:30 o'clock at the parsonage to the Methodist church. It was a quiet yet impressive ceremony, the pastor, Rev. A. Turley Stephenson, receiving the marriage vows. The young couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Carroll A. Tripp of Milledgeville. The bride was becomingly attired in dark blue georgette, and the matron of honor also wore dark blue.

After the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents, to immediate relatives and friends, the home being beautifully decorated for the Christmas season in holly and evergreen with the candles and flowers. The dinner table was especially beautiful in ferns and cut flowers. Mr. and Mrs. Wiley left on a wedding trip to Vinton, Ia., where they will visit for a few days. For the present they will make their home with the bride's parents. Mrs. Wiley teaches at the Wild Cat School and Mr. Wiley is employed in the laboratory at the Sandusky Cement Co. Both are young people with hosts of friends who join in wishing them every happiness.

### Marriage Vows Taken On Christmas Day

Miss Beulah Neikirk of Sterling and Ralph Weigle of Polo were the principals in a Christmas nuptial event, which was solemnized Sunday morning at the Brick church, west of Polo. Rev. L. T. Barr of Canton, Ill., a former pastor at the Brick church, read the single ring service at 11 o'clock which united the lives of the young couple in holy wedlock. Miss Hilda Brown of Polo was bridesmaid and Charles Eckerd of Polo served as best man. Before the ceremony Miss Iona Parks of Woonung sang "I Love You Truly," accompanied by Miss Catherine Neikirk, sister of the bride.

To the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Miss Iona Parks of Woonung, the bridal party took their places at the altar.

The bride was charmingly gowned in pink georgette crepe heavily embroidered with beads, and a white tulle wedding veil which fell to the hem of her dress. A bandeau of rhinestones and pearls fastened the veil to the bride's hair. Her flowers were an arm bouquet of pink rose buds. The bridesmaid wore an attractive frock of pink, and carried pink and white carnations.

Following the church ceremony the bridal party motored to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Neikirk, 503 Sixth avenue, Sterling, where the wedding dinner took place. An elaborate three course menu was served to seventeen relatives and guests at one long table. Pink and white were the colors used for decorating the table, and its centerpiece was pink and white roses. Three girl friends of the bride, Miss Mary Sheffer of Sterling, Miss Belva Johnson and Mrs. Sumner Johnson, of Rock Falls, served the dinner.

A reception was held after the wedding dinner, and the bridal couple received many lovely gifts.

The bride and groom are highly esteemed in this vicinity, where they have a host of friends who will wish them happiness and joy. The bride formerly was a resident of Milledgeville and was graduated from the Community high school at that place in 1925. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Weigle of Polo, and is an ambitious young farmer.

After the first of March Mr. and Mrs. Weigle will be at home on a farm near Polo.

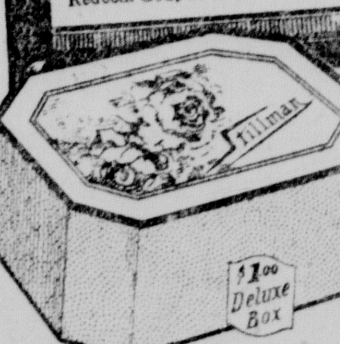
### Marie Leslie And George Ivan Wed

Mrs. W. S. Leslie, 1416 West State street, Rockford, announces the marriage of her daughter, Marie, to George N. Ivan, of Mason City, Ia., which was solemnized Monday morning at 8 o'clock at the home of the

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bride's brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Wright, Belvidere. The Rev. Arthur Oates of the First Presbyterian church, Belvidere, officiated. Only members of the immediate family witnessed the ceremony. A wedding breakfast was served at the Wright residence after which Mr. and Mrs. Ivan and his bride left for a wedding trip. They will make their home at Mason City.

The bride has been employed by the D. J. Stewart Dry Goods company.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Ivan are former Dixon residents, the bride's father conducting a dry goods store here for a number of years.

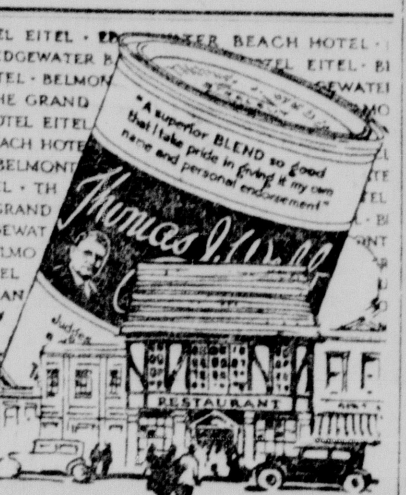
### Two Weddings at Lutheran Parsonage

Arnold E. Spohn of Dixon and Miss Mary G. Heckman, daughter of Harry Heckman of the Polo road, were united in marriage Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the parsonage to St. Paul's Lutheran church, the pastor, Rev. L. W. Walter, performing the ceremony. The couple were unattended, and are now receiving the best wishes of hosts of friends.

Sunday afternoon at 5:30 John Jacob Anson and Miss Laura M. Wootan, both of Chicago were married at the parsonage to St. Paul's Lutheran church, Rev. L. W. Walter officiating. From Dixon the couple, who were unattended, motored to points in Iowa to spend a few days, before returning to Chicago where they will make their future home.

### WERE GUESTS AT BRANDFELLNER HOME CHRISTMAS

Charles Gardella and family of Chicago were guests at the home of Rev. F. Brandfeller over Christmas.



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BY W. W. WESTWORTH

(Abbreviations A—Ace; K—king; Q—queen; J—Jack; X—any card lower than 10.)

1. (a) Should you trump a winning card in dummy, if declarer will over-trump you? (b) Why?  
2. What is meant by "Sell and Repent?"  
3. Declarer leads small spade; second hand holds K X X; dummy holds Q X; what card should second hand play?

### The Answers

1. (a) Yes. (b) To prevent declarer throwing of a losing card.  
2. Cover an honor with an honor and do not finesse against your partner except for sound business reasons.  
3. K.

ridge winning the favor for high honors for the ladies, and Bob Seales winning the favor for high honors for the gentlemen. Mrs. Clifford Photo won the consolation trophy for the ladies and Charles Kerz won the consolation favor for the gentlemen.

### WERE ENTERTAINED CHRISTMAS

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Young and daughter Helen and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Manning and sons Fred, Jr., and Harold, were entertained at a duck dinner Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Young of Nelson.

### WERE HERE FROM BELOIT OVER WEEK END

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wilhelm of Beloit, Wis., were guests over the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Wilhelm of East First street.

### ENTERTAINED AT DINNER CHRISTMAS

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Young of Nelson entertained with a roast duck dinner Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Young and daughter Helen, and Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Manning and sons Fred and Harold of Dixon.

### ENTERTAINED AT DINNER CHRISTMAS

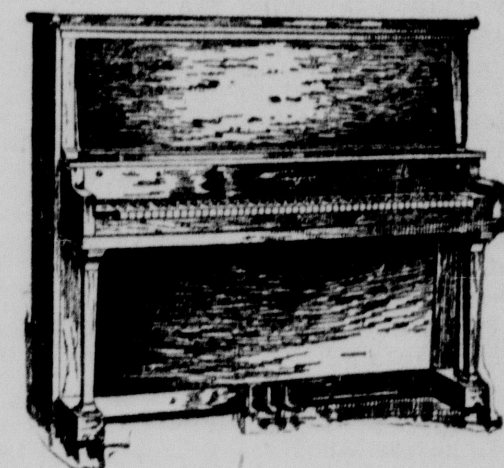
Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Smith entertained the following guests at dinner Christmas: Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Smith of Chicago, Mrs. Oscar McKenney and Miss Ida Frame of Mt. Carroll.

### ENTERTAINED AT DINNER CHRISTMAS

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heckman of Route 7 entertained at dinner Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wirth, and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Heckman and daughter.

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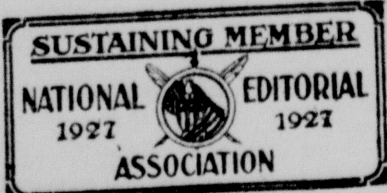
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## AT HER POST FIFTY YEARS.

Miss Jennie Lynch isn't the best known person in New York City. If you went to City Hall and asked who she was, the mayor might not even know. But she is as important as the mayor, and her work has been as valuable.

Jennie Lynch has taught in one school in New York City for fifty years. She put in several of the early years of her life as a pupil there; she decided she would be a teacher and a teacher she was. She has carried out her purpose in life. She is a success.

For fifty years Jennie Lynch has not forgotten that girlhood glimpse she had of an ideal—the ideal of helping the young to learn. She has clung to that dream with fine perseverance. There must have been times when she sickened of the whole thing, days when children were impudent and unruly, days when her nerves quivered and long nights she spent without sleep and with the fear and vision of breakdown haunting her bedside.

Most young girls who choose the life of teacher soon find out they have made a hard choice. They find out they are not appreciated for the good they work, but are blamed aplenty for their errors. And blamed not only for their own errors, but for many of those of the pupils.

Parents, who should know that their children can be very trying at times, forget often what teacher has to put up with. Johnny and Mary go home with a grand story of how they have been abused when they were not at fault. There's a row.

Jennie Lynch has been through many of these upheavals. She knows how good little children can be, and how bad. She has suffered the arrows of parents, too, and knows they can make mistakes, as well. Through all this she has kept her sense of humor and her love for humanity. She has felt that these little children, learning under her, were placed in her charge by God, and she has carried out her charge without complaint, but with patience, kindness and honor.

Jennie Lynch is a success now, a grand and glorious success. She has found one of life's works noble and she has done. We have some Jennie Lynches in Dixon.

## A BREED THAT IS BRAVE.

As brave as their men, who went out to challenge the old man of the deep, are the thirty-seven families whose men of the Gloucester fishing fleets have not come back.

The sea has robbed them, women and little boys and little girls, but cannot defeat them. The little boys in these families will grow up into big men and go out and fling the same dare into the teeth of the boundless ocean, fight the same fight their fathers and their grandfathers waged, with the same perils of wind and wave beating at their ships.

The defiance of the vast deep runs in these brave folk's veins. Their feet are built to the feel of a swaying deck, their eyes are eyes that are attuned to roving the vast expanses and their hands are mighty hands that know how to wrest from their majestic foe a victory in the grip of a twisting gale.

Those thirty-seven families are Gloucester fishing folk, and the sea cannot daunt them. Destitute, they face the rigor of winter and the claims of happiness that Christmas brings, with a smile as brave as they can summon. They are of the mold that faces the hazards of a cruel sea, and these other things, after all, are not the main issues in their lives.

We wish the Red Cross could do something about that flood in Washington—we mean those bills.

The world will be without royalty in a hundred years, says an author. Who'll fall off the horses then?

Lindbergh seems to have brought the spirit of peace and quiet to Mexico and maybe they won't have any New Year revolutions this year.

One of the bulls Lindbergh saw killed was finished off by the head of the traffic department of Mexico City. It was a case of when bull meets bull.

Whether Coolidge is out of it or not, the delegates to the Republican national convention will need somebody to keep them cool in Kansas City in June.

Booth Tarkington says the masculine shirt will disappear within 50 years. Either he is a whale of an optimist or has found a good laundry.

With no sign of matrimony on Wales' horizon, it looks as though the son may never settle in the British Empire.

Red enameled skillets are on the market, but many a woman sees red when she looks at any kind of a frying pan.

Did you hear about the college man who was expelled for cribbing in a botany examination? He had a flower in his buttonhole when he went to class.

What this country needs is less talk about evolution and more of it.

This is the kind of weather when the finest sight in the world is anthracite.

# THE TINYMITES

STORY BY HAL COCHRAN—PICTURES BY KNICK



To watch the toymen was fun, for back and forth they'd gaily run to bring out nails and wire to hold the big toboggan tight. The wood they used was curved in front. Said Clowdy, "That's a clever stunt. You toymen sure know how to make our fine toboggan right."

Then one wee toymen snapped reply, "Why, sure we do. I'll tell you why. We've made all kinds of sleds like these. It's easy for us now. At first 'twas hard as it could be. How they were made we couldn't see. But Santa joined our throng one day, and promptly showed us how." Santa said, "All things are easy." Santa said, "If one just tries, and goes ahead. But, when you are a lazy lad, your work's to no avail. The finest way to have success is just to never give up. I guess. The folks who give up easily are those who always fail."

Then Scouty tipped his little hat, and said, "We'll all remember that."

Perhaps, sometimes, we're lazy, but it's just because we're tired. However it is very true, that good things only come to you when you're a willing worker, and with lots of pep inspired.

Just then a little toymen said, "Well, there's a fine toboggan sled. I'm sure you Tinymites should have a lot of coasting fun." The Tinies looked and smiled and sighed. Said Clowdy, "Come, let's take a ride." And then they thanked the toymen, 'cause the pretty sled was done.

"Hop on," cried Santa. "Don't you fall. There's surely room enough for all. I'm going to start you on a very merry trip today. 'Twill take you some place through the sky." And then, as Santa waved good-bye, the Tinies hopped upon the sled, and smoothly sailed away.

(The Tinymites ride the waves on their toboggan, in the next story.)

## SAINT and SINNER

Faith told herself, as she drove toward home, that there was really no reason why she should have so curtly refused Aunt Hattie's offer to accompany her, and that it was absurd to drive so fast. Of course Bob was working away at those Hemingway plans and would be annoyed at being disturbed, even to eat the hot dinner that Fay had hastily packed in a picnic hamper for him.

Because she hated herself for the unformed doubts which made her once-serene mind a welter of misery, a misery the more unbearable for its very vagueness and unworthiness, she forced her mind backward upon the scene she had just left. She knew now, facing the thing squarely, that she was purposely seeing very little of Fay and Junior, because the picture of an almost ideally happy marriage which they presented hurt her intolerably.

Why had Fay succeeded where she had failed? For she had failed to make her marriage a beautiful, serene thing. Was it perhaps because Fay and Junior laughed together so easily, saw no "problems," accepted life casually and highheartedly, without making a fuss about it? She saw again, in her mind's eye, Junior's puppy-like frolicking about his wife, Fay's giggling, fond response. Were they happy because they had not yet discovered that they were grown-up? But, whether they realized it or not, they were fulfilling grown-up roles worthily, even magnificently. Junior—and who would have thought it of the harum-scarum, "wild" boy that Long Lane had been?—was making a very decent living, working hard, saving his money, making the woman he had married a happy and

NEXT: Faith's doubts justified. (Copyright, 1927, NEA Service, Inc.)

## HUNTING SEASON

"I'm going down town to buy a sport dress."  
"But, my dear, you won't need one at this time of year."  
"Oh, yes, I will. I'm going to shoot my husband."—Judge.

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## HALDANE

Haldane—Mr. and Mrs. Jake Ludwig are the happy parents of twins, a boy and girl which arrived at their home Sunday evening, Dec. 18.

Mr. and Mrs. David Pope and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Osbaugh and son Ralph were entertained Saturday at the D. Z. Osbaugh home in Maryland.

A large crowd attended the Christmas program in the hall Friday evening which was given by the Haldane school. A good program was presented to the audience and much credit is given the teacher, Miss Mary Zeigler, for her efforts in drilling the children. Cakes, pies and candy were auctioned after Santa arrived. Santa was well provided with a number of jokes which all enjoyed. Lunches were also sold and thirty-seven dollars was the proceeds of the evening's program.

Joe Rowland spent Saturday in Freeport.

Miss Margaret Binkley visited her friend, Miss Marie Buss, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McNeil of Byron spent part of last week with their daughter, Mrs. Clint Harmon and family.

Misses Rosella Long and Vinna Davison were Christmas guests of the former's brother, A. J. Long and family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Harmon motored to Freeport Saturday.

Miss Carol Appel and friend attended the social at the New Junction school near Mt. Morris, which is taught by her aunt, Mrs. Fred Michaels.

Wm. Hicks of Polo spent several days last week with his daughter, Mrs. Leslie Long and family.

The Willing Workers S. S. Class was entertained Thursday evening at the home of their teacher Mrs. Hazel Reiff. The young folks enjoyed an evening of games and music after which a delicious supper was served. At a late hour all returned home wishing each other a Merry Christmas.

Mrs. J. B. Yohn, Misses Mary Zeigler and Carol Appel were supper guests Wednesday evening of the Fred Krum family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brinker and family and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brinker were Christmas guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brinker in Mt. Morris.

Miss Mary Garman spent Friday with Mrs. Yella Twigg.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Rowland were shopping in Freeport Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Long and daughters Lucile and Ethel; Mr. and Mrs. Beulke; Wm. Hicks and guest Fegan were Christmas dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. A. Long.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burner were callers in Freeport Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kitzmiller of Shannon spent the week end with his father, George Kitzmiller who is quite sick again.

C. G. Binkley and daughter Ethel visited Mr. and Mrs. Frisby Binkley, Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Timmer of Freeport, Amos Harmon and Mrs. Ed Twigg were Sunday company of Mr. and Mrs. Reub Harmon.

The families of the Springvale district gathered at the school house Friday afternoon and enjoyed a fine Christmas program which the teacher, Miss Marion Tree and the pupils had arranged for the entertainment. Santa Claus was there too and distributed presents from a pretty tree. Miss Ruth Good went to Chicago Saturday to spend the holiday vacation with her mother, Mrs. Marjorie Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Harmon and sons and Miss Margaret Binkley were shoppers in Freeport Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stouffer and family of Milledgeville, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ruble of Brookville, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stouffer were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Uriah Stouffer and Miss Helen Mosteller.

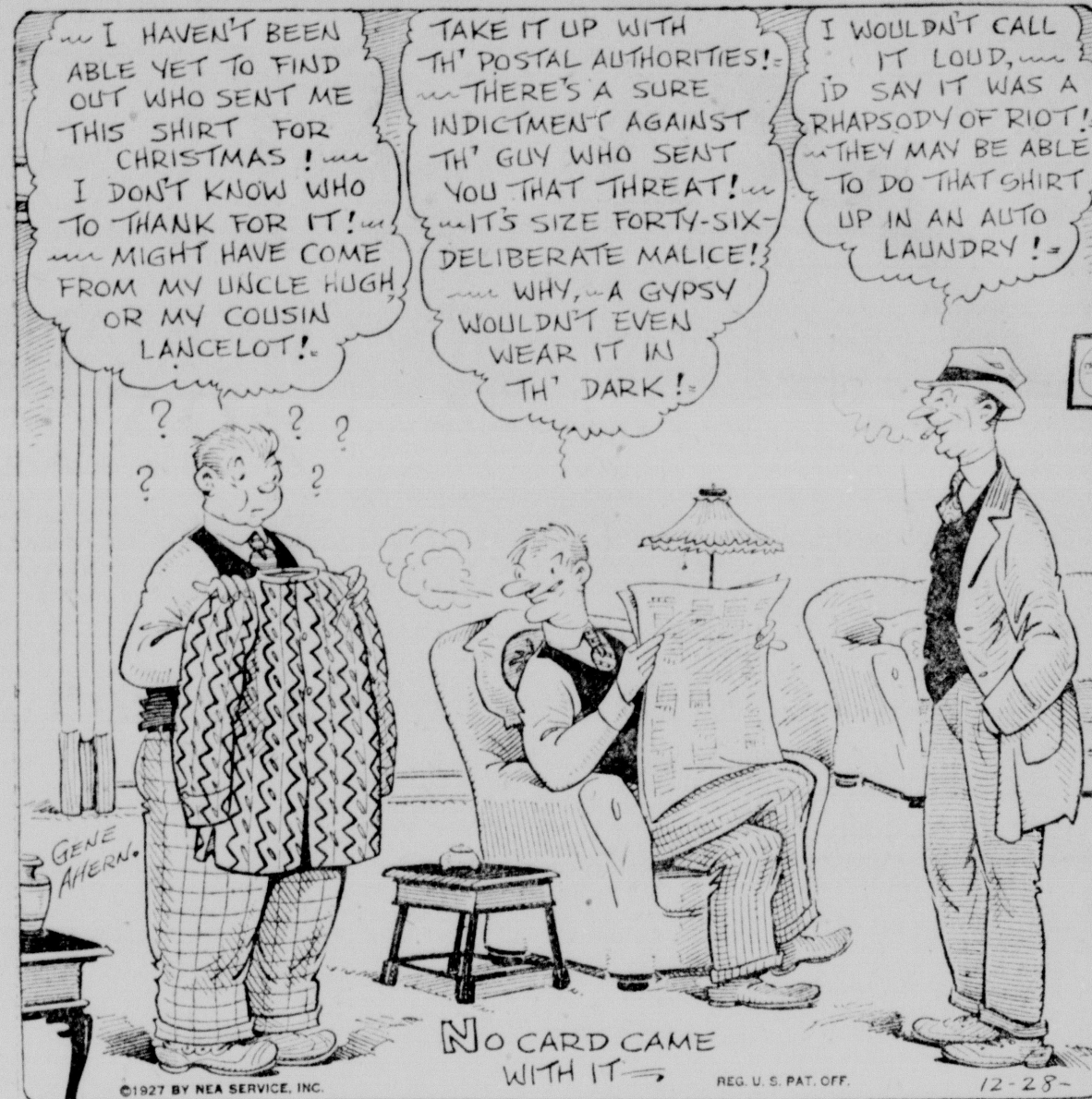
Santa Claus was in Haldane Saturday afternoon and entertained a jolly crowd of children at the store of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beulke. Candy and nuts were given the children by Santa. A pretty Christmas tree was another feature of the happy party.

Mrs. Uriah Stouffer and daughter Mrs. Arthur Ruble were callers in Polo Friday.

Clarence Good and friend of Dix-

## OUR BOARDING HOUSE

BY AHERNS



on, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Poper and son Richard of Amboy and John Inzor of Rockford ate roast goose on Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Good.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Long and daughter Vera were Monday guests in the Henry Mennen home at Ore-

gon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rowland and children were Christmas company of the Floyd Binkley family.

A splendid Christmas program was given in the Haldane church Sunday evening. Vocal solos were given by Mrs. Leslie Long, Gladys Wolfenberger and Mark Burner; vocal duet by Mrs. Ben Beard and Mrs. Leslie Long; recitations by Harold Miller, Max Plum, Lucile Long, Ruth Krum, Alice Rowland and Ethel Wolfenberger. Mark Burner also delivered a fine sermon in keeping with the Christmas spirit.

Mrs. Hunter Ruble and daughter Mae spent Thursday in the Jake Ruble home.

C. A. Miller, sons Forrest and Harold, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Rae and Grandma Meinzer were among the relatives who enjoyed Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Huffman in Polo.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Garman and son of Forreston, Mr. and Mrs. Cramer Binkley and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Osbaugh and son spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Frisby Binkley.

Wayne Colvin and Glenn Cram of Milwaukee, Wis., are spending their holiday vacation with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brinker and children were Monday company in Forreston at the home of her father Dick Becker.

Mr. and Mrs. John Frey and daughter Theresa and Wm. Hicks of Polo were entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Long.

George Bender and family of Hazelhurst; Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Bender and son Lewis and Mrs. Urilla Host of Polo; Guy Doyle and family and Linus Twigg and family; Jake Bender and D. F. Twigg were Christmas company of the George Long family.

Mrs. Mary Diehl attended a family dinner Christmas at the Harry Fager home in Forreston.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Rowland and Ralph Longnecker were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rowland and L. F. Rowland.

The Jolly Sewing Club families held their annual Christmas party Tuesday evening at the home of Mr.

and Mrs. Frank Forney. The house was pretty in decorations of the holiday season. An excellent roast chicken supper was served to which all did ample justice. Santa arrived in due time and presented all with a gift. At a late hour all returned home after thanking the Forneys for their hospitality.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Huffman of Polo and John Ludwig were Christmas company in the Fred Appel home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tarmon and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Binkley and children were Monday guests of the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Becker, Sr. in Forreston. Rolo Kitzmiller and Miss Rose Vakine of Rockford visited at the home of his mother, Mrs. Sarah Kitzmiller over Christmas.

## Illinois Quizzes

(BY THE AP)

1. What are the "residence qualifications" of a legal voter in Illinois?
2. What qualifications must a candidate for governor in Illinois possess?
3. Where in Illinois is there a statue of Robert G. Ingersoll?
4. Who were supposedly the first residents of Illinois?
5. By what name did the French know the Mississippi river?

## ANSWERS

1. A voter must be a resident of the county six months, of the state one year.
2. A candidate for governor must be thirty years old, and a resident of the state for five years prior to his candidacy.
3. At the entrance of Glen Oak Park, Peoria.
4. "River St. Louis."

## A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

For the poor always ye have with you.—John 12:8.

Poverty is only contemptible when it is felt to be so.—Bovee.

## North Western Makes Report for a Month

Chicago, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Operating revenues of the Chicago & North Western Railway Company kept pace with operating expenses last month, both expenses and revenues gaining \$800,000 over November 1926. The November report, made public today by L. A. Robinson, comptroller, showed total operating revenues for November 1927 to be \$11,676,716 against \$12,493,601 a year ago. Total operating expenses were fixed at \$9,743,376 compared with \$10,590,748 for November 1926.

Transportation expenses for November 1927 and 1926 were, respectively, \$4,752,777 and \$4,999,576, maintenance expenses were \$4,413,180 and \$4,998,847.

## Find Gold in Turk

Red Lodge, Mont., Dec. 27.—(AP)—Discovery of gold nuggets in a turkey prepared for Christmas dinner by Mrs. A. Pollard, has started prospectors in a search for the mother lode. Eight nuggets, weighing 30 grams and valued at about \$3, were found in the turkey. The fowl was raised on the Paul W. Cartright ranch, two miles from Red Lodge. It was one of the few birds sold here by Mr. Cartright. About 35 birds were shipped to Maine.

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# TEACHERS' LEGAL PROGRAM IS DISCUSSED AT MEET

Last General Assembly Praised for Interest in Schools

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 26.—(AP)—School teachers in America do not hold the high social position and respect accorded to the British "school master," members of the Illinois State Teachers Association were told here last night by Rhys J. Davies, member of the English Parliament.

"The schoolmaster in Britain is esteemed by the public," Mr. Davies said, "and the payment of teachers, proportionately to other members of the community, is on a much higher scale than in this country."

Chief among differences in the schools of the two countries Mr. Davies believes is the tendency toward vocational education in America as compared to the deep rooted cultural emphasis in England. "The spirit of Oxford and Cambridge," he said, "permeates our system down to the lowest reaches."

Mr. Davies comprehensively outlined the English system of education for the Illinois teachers, noting especially those phases in which the school systems of the two nations differed.

He emphasized the several ancillary services that have grown up around the English elementary schools.

"The child of needy means," he said, "is fed with good meals, sometimes twice a day, on the principle that it is little use feeding the brain if the body is starved. When a great industrial dispute takes place, feeding in this connection is done on a fairly large scale."

**Medical Examination**

"Every elementary school child is examined by fully employed medical men and women at least three times in his school life. Treatment must follow on a report to the parents."

"Where public baths exist, it is customary for the teacher to take his classes regularly to the baths. A recent feature has been the establishment of camps in the country, to which teachers take their classes for week ends."

"In larger towns, good work is performed by organized games in the evenings, especially for the children in slumland. As a result, military drill is gradually disappearing. School discipline is on an entirely new plan. Corporal punishment is discouraged. The teacher who cannot secure discipline without the cane is regarded not worthy of his post."

In the dual control of some British schools, by Church and State, Mr. Davies sees one of the most serious difficulties confronting education in his country. Because of lack of funds he said, the Church school does not attract as high a type of teacher as the state school, and the tendency now is to turn church schools to the local authority.

## NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

### CHURCH OF GOD

A fine Christmas program was given at the Church of God Friday evening, as follows:

- Opening Chorus—Hail the King of Glory.
- Prayer—Rev. A. C. Johnson.
- Duet—"That Wonderful Night"—Mrs. Drew and Mrs. Wagner.
- Recitation—My Broadcast.
- Exercise—"Christmas Stars"—Junior Prease.
- Exercise—"Christmas Stars"—E. Ford and six children.
- Recitation—"A Brief Speech".
- Recitation—"Christmas Bells".
- Song—"The Christmas Story"—Bobby Frederick.
- Recitation—"A Christmas Hint"—Jean Wagner.
- Song—"Gifts to Him Bring"—Darrell Reis.
- Recitation—"I Am So Little"—Leon Drew.
- Exercise—"Joy to the World"—Junior Berean Girls.
- Recitation—"A Christmas Eve Thought"—Charlotte Drew.
- Recitation—"A Little Greeting"—Frances Drew.
- Duet—"Star of Light"—E. Ford and F. Rossiter.
- Reading—"How Befano Missed Christmas"—Helen Roberts.
- Song—"Twinkle, Twinkle"—Jean and Jane Ford.
- Exercise—"The Story of the Star"—Four Boys.
- Song—"Only a Baby"—Mary Jane Eckert.
- Solo and Duet—"Above the Blue"—Mrs. Root and Mrs. Wagner.
- Announcements.
- Closing Chorus—No. 173 Church.
- Song Book—Everybody.
- Closing Prayer.

### BAPTIST MEN'S CLUB

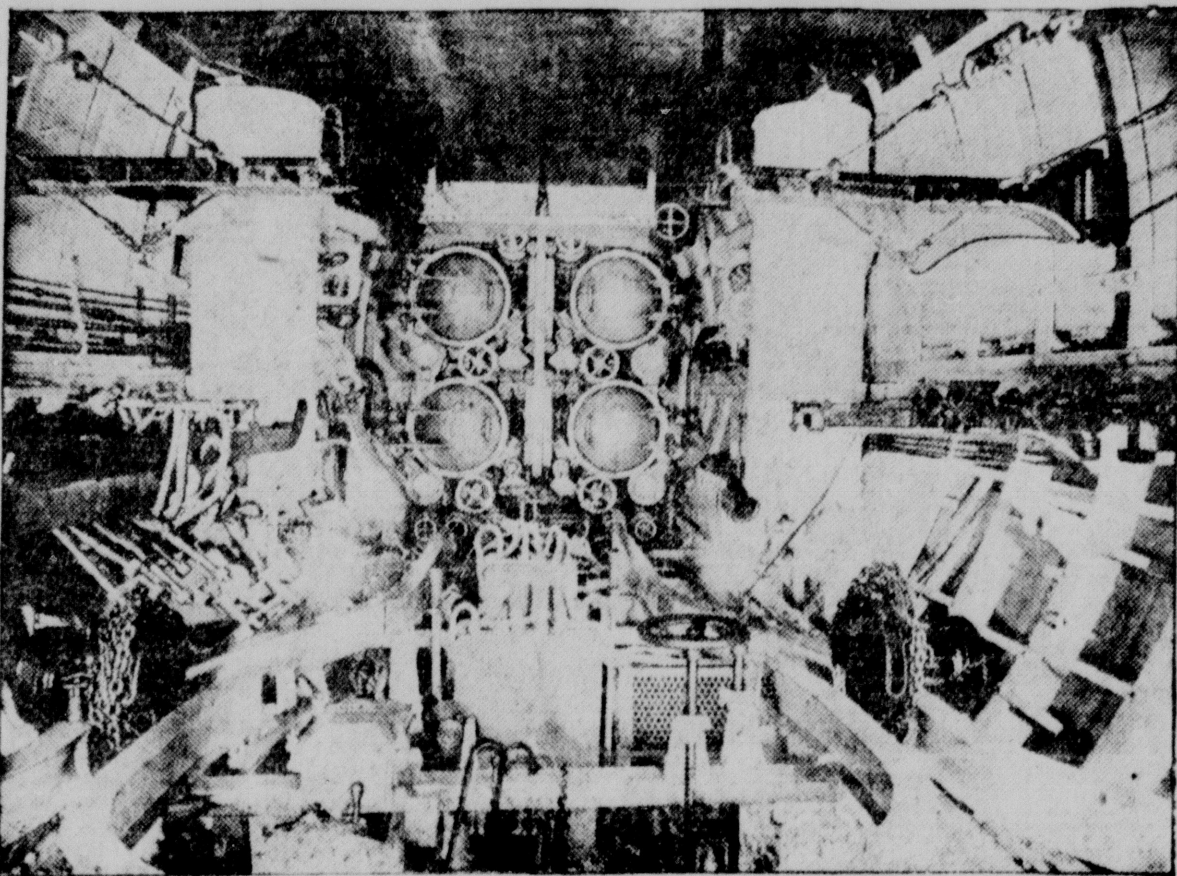
The Men's club of the Baptist church held a social evening at the church Tuesday evening. Atty. W. H. Winn spoke on Law Enforcement, at the conclusion of the conclusion of the concern dinner which was enjoyed by every one present.

### THE WEEK OF PRAYER

The churches of Dixon will unite in observing the Week of Prayer from Jan. 2 to 6, and all are heartily invited to participate in the services. They will be held as follows:

- Monday, Jan. 2 at the Presbyterian church at 7:30 p. m. Speaker—Rev. L. W. Walter, St. Paul's Lutheran.
- Tuesday, Jan. 3 at the Christian church at 7:30 p. m. Speaker—Rev. A. T. Stephenson, First Methodist Episcopal.
- Wednesday, Jan. 4 at the Grace Evangelical church at 7:30 p. m.

## Where Six Men of S-4 Met Lingering Death



line S-4 in which six men are believed to have met their death while attempting to save them. It was from this compartment that messages were tapped by Lieutenant Graham N. Finch to divers outside. The men in the center are four torpedo tubes. Navy officers hoped to supply the imprisoned men with water, food, and bottles of oxygen through these tubes, but stormy weather prevented divers from carrying out this plan before it was too late.

### SPEAKER—REV. B. H. CLEVER, CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Thursday, Jan. 5 at the First Baptist church at 7:30 p. m. Speaker—Rev. F. Brandellner, Grace Evangelical.

Friday, Jan. 6 at the First Methodist church at 7:30 p. m. Speaker—Rev. J. F. Young, First Presbyterian.

Come and join with us in this world wide week of prayer.

### DIXON MINISTERIAL ASS'N.

Will our ministerial brethren please note that owing to the New Year Holidays, our monthly meeting will be held at the Y. M. C. A. at 10:30 a. m. on Tuesday, Jan. 3 instead of Monday.

Our speaker will be E. E. Wingert, and his subject will be "Business Hints to Ministers."

## POLO NEWS NOTES

Polo—Mr. and Mrs. George Webster and daughter Anna had as dinner guests Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Webster and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Webster and family, Sibert Hattug and daughter Edith and son Ralph, Valentine Hartung. After dinner, the children enjoyed a Christmas tree.

The following enjoyed a scramble dinner at the home of Mrs. Maggie Stauffer on Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stauffer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stauffer and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Summers and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Boley.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Geeting of Chicago spent Christmas with the former's mother, Mrs. Molly Geeting.

Mrs. Elizabeth Eakle of Forreston spent Friday night in the Atty. R. M. Brand home enroute to Chicago to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brantner and family of Lanark spent Saturday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Brantner.

Mrs. J. B. Yohn and daughter Miss Mary Zigler are spending the week in Chicago in the S. J. and Clarence Yohn home.

Paul Strite transacted business in Chicago Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fry entertained the following dinner guests Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Butterbaugh and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Cordell, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Reiff and daughter.

Friends of Mrs. Chas. Heckman of Dixon, formerly of Polo, will be sorry to learn that she is a patient at the Dixon hospital.

Mr. Frank Weaver suffered an attack of appendicitis Monday and was taken to a Freeport hospital.

George Scheff of Chicago spent from Saturday until Tuesday in the A. C. Coursey home.

Miss Nora Radloff of Elgin is spending the holiday vacation with her mother, Mrs. A. G. Coursey.

Mr. and Mrs. Orten Arbogast spent Monday with relatives in Oregon.

LaVerne Coursey of Peoria spent from Sunday until Tuesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Coursey.

A. G. Coursey received word Saturday that his father, D. A. Coursey, had passed away at Hot Springs, S. Dakota.

Maynard and Mildred Graeff and Gertrude Maley of Shabbona spent Monday in the Guy Waterbury home. Mildred Graeff remained for a several days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cross and daughter of Glenn Elynn spent Christmas in the Frank Numan and Emma Cross home.

Mrs. L. M. Griffin and daughter Nancy Elizabeth came home Saturday from the Deaconess hospital at Freeport.

On Christmas Day at the U. B. Brick church occurred the marriage of Ralph Weigle of Polo and Miss Beulah Neikirk of Sterling. Rev. Leslie Barr of Canton performing the ceremony. The newlyweds will be at home after March 1st on the Fred Becker farm at Eagle Point.

Rev. T. O. Maguire spent from Monday until Wednesday in Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stull and family spent Christmas in the Elmer Galor home at Wacker.

## TEACHERS OF U. S. NOT HELD IN PROPER ESTEEM

Member of Parliament of England Draws Comparisons

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 26.—(AP)—Legislation "favored by the mayor of Chicago had precedence over everything else" in the 55th General Assembly, the report of the legislative committee of the Illinois State Teachers Association, in a convention here, said today.

This statement was prefaced by the implied query, "for some reason." The report was made by Fannie Spais Merwin of Manito. It commended the attitude of the last general assembly toward school legislation to the next general assembly.

"The 55th General Assembly," said the report, "was more interested in school legislation than any other in years."

"A definite legislative program formulated by your committee two years ago, was presented. The Parent-Teachers association, the State School Board Association, the League of Women Voters and the county superintendents of the state co-operated in our efforts to secure legislation."

"Governor Len Small was sympathetic with many of our bills, and of those passed only one met his veto. With all these advantages, we had considerable success."

The committee deplored, however, the filibuster toward the close of the legislative session, in which many bills were lost.

Foremost among recommendations to be submitted to the next legislature, is that advocating complete revision of the state taxing system. In a report already made public, the committee covered the state tax laws as "neither fully enforced nor carefully administered."

The committee also recommended minimum school terms of eight months, on the contention that rural schools could not present the same work in seven months that city schools give in nine. Other legislation recommended included:

Establishment of larger territorial units for school taxation and administration.

Moderate and progressive increases in the education requirements for teachers.

Codification of the school attendance laws so that they will be clear and definite and make no exemption on account of graduation from the eighth grade.

Special schools for children who, because of physical or mental handicaps, are unable to receive full benefit from regular schools.

Abolishment of the office of township trustees and township treasurers, their duties to be taken over by the county superintendent of schools and county treasurer.

Payment to full cost of tuition by non-high school district students attending high school in other districts.

Liberal financial support for teacher training institutions.

Placing the state teachers colleges on the same basis of administrative freedom as is now enjoyed by the University of Illinois.

Adequate assistance for county superintendent of schools.

Strict and impartial enforcement of taxation laws.

Equalization of assessment of all property so that the assessment "will be in accordance with the original purpose and intent of the law."

A system of corporation and income taxes "designed to yield to Illinois revenues proportionately commensurate with those received from similar sources in other important industrial states."

Definite provision for a more liberal support of public schools, by apportioning to them a portion of our increasing state revenues realized from sources other than property taxes and in addition to those taxes.

Preservation of good and helpful school laws now in force.

## EAST GROVE

East Grove—A card party and dance will be held at St. Patrick's Hall, Maytown, on Wednesday evening, Dec. 28.

The Community Christmas tree and program held at St. Patrick's Hall on Sunday afternoon drew a large crowd. The children as well as the grown ups enjoyed themselves. Santa Claus distributed gifts to the youngsters.

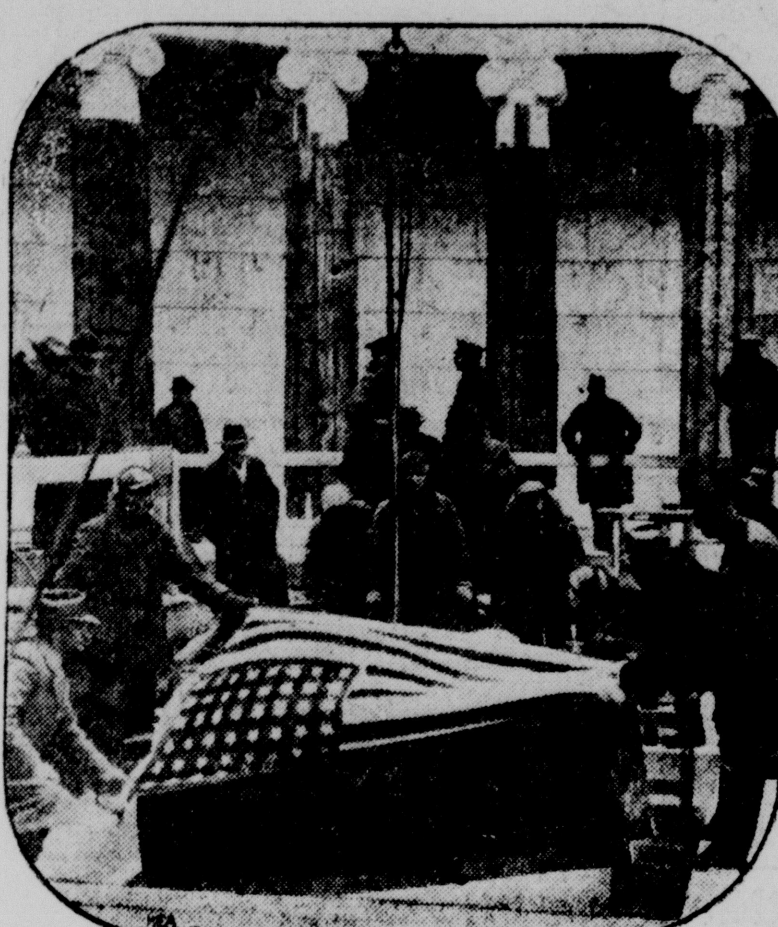
Mrs. Ed Eiel had the misfortune to fall and dislocate her arm but at present the injured member is getting along nicely.

Jim Todd spent the week end in Chicago.

Baby of Walton spent Christmas with Mrs. Finn's mother, Mrs. Mary McFadden.

Rev. C. J. Kirkfleet received the sad news Monday of the death of his father in Belgium. Mr. Kirkfleet

## Harding Bodies in New Tomb



Formal burial rites were held the other day when the bodies of President and Mrs. Warren G. Harding were removed to the new \$600,000 Harding Memorial tomb at Marion O. The picture shows the sarcophagus, containing the body of President Harding, being lowered into the crypt, its final resting place.

although advanced in years was enjoying good health at the last news from overseas received by Father Kirkfleet prior to the cablegram. The many friends of Rev. Kirkfleet extend to him their sympathy in his loss.

The Nean Garland family ate Christmas dinner at the George Batin home at Walnut.

The William Latta family entertained on Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Simon Pfeiffer of Ohio and Mr. Edd Rogers and wife of Rock Falls.

Mrs. Ansel Woolvize who recently submitted to an operation at the Dixon hospital is improving.

Margaret McBride, who is taking nurses' training at St. Charles Hospital, Aurora, is spending the holiday vacation with her parents.

Mrs. W. J. Sharkey is visiting in Aurora.

John Meade of Clinton, Iowa, spent Christmas with home folks.

Clarence Rueberg held a closing out sale Monday.

James Sharkey shelled and marketed his corn to Ohio Wednesday of last week.

## Joins Morgan & Co.

New York, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Harold Stanley, President of the Guaranty Company of New York, will be admitted to partnership in the firm of J. P. Morgan & Company of New York, it was learned today. This is the first change in the personnel of the firm since the resignation of Dwight W. Morrow on his selection as American Ambassador to Mexico.

## Mich. Disagrees

Washington, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Michigan's exceptions to the recommendations of Charles Evans Hughes, who heard testimony in the Lake diversion case, were filed today in the Supreme Court, showing the

## TRIUMVIRATE TO DIRECT AFFAIRS OF STEEL CORP'N.

Morgan is Chairman; Farrell Chief and Taylor "Banker"

New York, Dec. 28.—(AP)—A triumvirate composed of representatives of finance, business and steel, today divided the authority which once resided in the hands of the late Elbert H. Gary as Chairman of the United States Steel Corporation.

J. Pierpont Morgan, international banker, was elected by the Board of Directors yesterday as Chairman. James A. Farrell, President of the Corporation, becomes its chief executive officer; and Myron C. Taylor, attorney and corporation executive, was named Chairman of the Finance Committee. All three posts had been held by Mr. Gary.

By amendment of the corporation's by-laws, the Board of Directors has enabled Mr. Morgan to accept the chairmanship of the directorate without becoming involved in routine duties of the office. It is understood he stipulated this before agreeing to accept the post.

### Farrell Manager

Mr. Farrell, who has been acting as chief executive officer since the death of Mr. Gary, becomes directly responsible for the management of the corporation, under direction of the finance committee, headed by Mr. Taylor, who will have charge of the corporation's finances.

Mr. Morgan since 1891 has devoted his principal energies to the banking firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. founded by his father. In recent years, however, he has been relieving himself of responsibilities of his own firm and turning them over to his younger partners in order to devote more time to recreation. His father was one of the chief factors in the formation of the Steel Corporation.

### His Rise Rapid

Mr. Farrell, born in New Haven, Conn. Feb. 16, 1863, started work at 15. In a wire mill in New Haven, he became a mechanic and later went to Pittsburgh, where his rise in steel circles was rapid. His election as President of the United States Steel Corporation in 1911 took him from the presidency of the United States Steel Products Export Company, which he had headed since 1903.

Mr. Taylor, head of the finance committee, is a direct descendant of Colonial stock. He is known chiefly for his connection with the textile industry, but in recent years has turned his attention principally to financial affairs. He is a director of the First National Bank and affiliated with numerous industrial and railway concerns.

The suggestion was made by some newspapers today that Mr. Morgan might have accepted the chairmanship only temporarily.

In this connection the New York Daily News and the New York World took note of rumors that the chairmanship would be offered President Coolidge when he leaves the White House, March 4, 1929.

Become a subscriber to the Telegraph and for one extra dollar you will receive a thousand dollar accident policy good for a 1 year. Special price of the Evening Telegraph for 1 year is \$1.00 with insurance \$5.00.

## Murdered His Wife

and Went to Sleep

Chicago, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Emilio Castigilo, 40, quarreled with his wife, Mary, 38, last night, arose from bed, shot her dead, and slept the remainder of the night with his four-year-old son, he confessed to police today. He had been drinking, officers said.

## Fear for Forty

Constantinople, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Forty lives are feared to have been lost in the sinking of the Turkish steamer Sviel at the entrance of the Gulf of Mudania yesterday, after a collision with the Turkish steamship Marmara. The vessel sank within a few minutes. It carried 130 passengers.

## 1800 Hogs Burned

East St. Louis, Ill., Dec. 27.—(AP)—Eighteen hundred hogs were burned to death in a blaze of undetermined origin which destroyed a hog barn in the National Stock Yards here early today.

Hundreds of hogs and goats were driven out before the flames gained headway. Damage to the building was estimated at \$50,000 and the animals destroyed were valued at \$36,000.

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## SPORTS OF ALL SORTS COACHES OF BIG TEN TO REQUEST LESS TINKERING

Will Also Ask Simplification of Football Rules

Chicago, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Less tinkering with the rules of football and simplified language in the latest revisions, are the suggestions of leading western conference football authorities to the Rules Committee which gathers in New York tomorrow.

The game would get along nicely with the Rules Committee meeting once in three years instead of annually, according to Coach Bob Zuppke of Illinois, the Big Ten champion. Necessary interpretations could be handled by a small committee in the meantime.

The lateral pass, the fumbled punt rule, the retreating goal posts, and the backfield man in motion are among the important changes of last winter which need overhauling, Big Ten coaches said.

**Lateral Pass Hit.**  
"The lateral pass was not a successful play," said Dr. C. W. Spears, coach at Minnesota, runner-up in the Big Ten last fall. "Even if it were successful, there is no reason a team should be allowed to miss the consequences of a fumble."

"The strongest argument for moving the goal posts back was that more scoring would result, because the angle of the field goal kick was reduced by setting the cross bar ten yards farther away."

**Rule Not Clear.**  
The rule on a backfield man in motion at the moment of snapping the ball is not clear, according to Fielding H. "Hurly" Yost, and needs modification.

Chicago lost a touchdown against Ohio State on such a controversy, the referee ruling that the man in motion did not take a step backward toward his own goal at the moment of snapping the ball. Chicago was one of the few midwestern teams which used the deceptive man-in-motion play, and also the Maroons were alone in using the lateral pass, as a scoring play.

### Ottawa Senators to Try to Stop Leaders

New York, Dec. 28.—(AP)—The Ottawa Senators, world champions in the national league hockey race a year ago, are determined to prevent a runaway by the Montreal Canadiens, pace-makers in the present campaign.

In a hip-and-tuck scramble at Ottawa last night, the Senators held the Canadiens to a scoreless draw in overtime.

The Ranger sextet, leader of the American group, topped before a fast Boston attack 2 to 0.

The New York Americans battled to a 4-all tie with the Detroit Cougars.

There was no scoring in the extra session.

### Sharkey is Training for Bout With Heeney

New York, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Doubts about Jack Sharkey being in condition to go through with his bout against "Tom" Heeney in Madison Square Garden on Jan. 13 seemed dispelled today with news that both boxers had started active training.

Tex Rickard received word from Johnny Buckley, Sharkey's manager, that the Boston heavyweight knocked out Rocky Stone twice in a three-round workout. Sharkey's injured left hand has apparently mended completely, Buckley says.

### Murchison Better

Decatur, Ill., Dec. 27.—(AP)—Although remaining under a strict quarantine, Loren Murchison, Olympic track star continued to show slow but steady improvement over the Christmas holiday period from his attack of cerebral spinal meningitis which has confined him to a local hospital for two weeks. His physician stated today that there was a possibility of the quarantine being lifted by the end of the week. It prevented Harold Osborne, team-mate of Murchison's on the Olympic team, from visiting him Christmas.

### Olympic Hockey Team Will Meet in Boston

Boston, Dec. 28.—(AP)—A foretaste of the 1928 battle for Olympic hockey supremacy is scheduled for this city during the next two weekends when what are generally conceded to be the four best amateur clubs on the North American continent clash in a four-game series. The participants will be the Toronto Varsity and the Toronto Grads Clubs of Canada and Harvard University's team and the University Club of Boston.

### Compton Gun Club's

#### Shoot Well Attended

A large crowd attended the shoot held by the Compton Gun club at their grounds near Compton Monday, the 100-bird match being won by L. Schoof of Walnut with 94 birds. Delegations were present from Walnut, Paw Paw, Ottawa, Wedron, Mendota, LaMoille, West Brooklyn and Steward. The club's next shoot will be held Wednesday, Feb. 22.

## Children Honor Lindy



Here is Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh serving as the target for the admiration of a cluster of Mexican school children. With him is Dwight Morrow, U. S. ambassador. The photo was taken at a fete held by the school children of Mexico City in Lindy's honor.

### "FEWER RULES" CRY OF GRID COACHES ASSN.

#### Football Rules to be Talked Over This Week at Meet

New York, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Football officials, coaches, graduate managers and stars of the past from all sections of the country invaded this city today for the annual discussion of gridiron regulations in a convention to continue until Friday.

While reports and recommendations will be heard at this convocation, definite action will go over to the session of the Football Rules Committee later in the winter.

Fewer and simpler rules appear to be the universal expressions from the delegates assembled here. The lateral pass and removal of the goal posts ten yards behind the goal line are also due for an airing. The timing rules and muffed punt are other subjects to be talked over.

Opening the confab is the meeting today of the Eastern Association of Intercollegiate Football Officials at Hotel Astor. Tomorrow, the Intercollegiate Football Rules Committee session and the 22nd annual convention of the National Collegiate Athletic Association will be held. The Football Coaches' Association will have its annual meeting and dinner on Friday.

### But Eight West Point Grid Stars Resigned

New York, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Controversy over the break in football relations between the Army and Navy today involved the number of football stars who had resigned from the service at West Point as soon as possible after graduation. Only eight former football stars left the Academy between 1917 and 1927, says a statement by Maj. Philip Fleming, graduate manager of athletics at West Point, issued through the Army information service in this city.

The statement named the following officers as those who had resigned: McEwan, Aliphant, Cidal, Blaik, Breidster, Garbisch, Mulligan and Storck. These officers averaged three years and seven months in commission service before retiring, Major Fleming stated.

Representative Britten, of Illinois, republican member of the House Naval committee, in a recent statement said 80 percent of the Army football stars in the past ten years resigned immediately after graduation.

### Ohio News Notes

Ohio—Charles Morton of Lombard College is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Morton.

Charles Johnston of Chicago spent Christmas here with his family. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ruff were Christmas guests of Rockford relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hey and little daughter of Decatur are guests of Mrs. Hey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Dewey.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Calhaver of Aurora are Christmas guests of Mrs. Calhaver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Morton.

Mrs. G. S. Jackson and son Arden and his wife are visiting relatives in Oak Park and Aurora. Mr. and Mrs. Tony Shultz and Miss Anna Underline of Chicago visited over Sunday at the John Underline home.

Tom Lehman and family of Depue

**Clark's Famous Cruises**

Jan. 16, Around the World, \$1250 up Jan. 25, Mediterranean, \$1000 up Jan. 30, Mediterranean, \$1000 up Jan. 30, 52 days, \$600 to \$1300 Lisbon, Spain, Tangier, Algiers, Italy, Riviera, Sweden, Norway, Edinburgh, Trossachs, Berlin (Paris, London). F. C. CLARK, Times Bldg., N. Y.

## 59 TON LITTERS OF PIGS RECORD IN ILL. IN 1927

### Is Decrease of Forty Two From Previous Year, Report

Urbana, Ill., Dec. 28.—(AP)—Fifty-nine litters of pigs, scaling a grand total of 141,214 pounds of pork, have qualified in the 1927 Illinois ton-litter project by reaching a weight of one ton or more each before they were six months old, thus winning for their owners the coveted official state ton-litter medal, it was announced today by W. H. Smith, leader of farm advisers at the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois and supervisor of the project.

The 59 litters, produced in 20 counties having Illinois' total for the six years of the ton-litter project up to 418. The plan, inaugurated and sponsored by the extension service of the college is designed to demonstrate that good breeding, proper feeding and careful management make for economical pork production by getting pigs in shape for market at an early age.

The number of successful litters this year is a decrease from 91 last year, this being partly due to a hog market which was relatively lower than it has been in recent years, Smith said.

Sangamon county not only produced the heaviest litter, but also led the 19 other counties by producing thirteen of them. The state champion litter was owned by George W. Leka, Illinois, and contained 13 pigs that were fed for a total weight of 3,167.5 pounds, by the time they were six months old.

Bureau county, which led the state in 1926 with 12 ton litters, was not entered in the project this year.

More than half of the litters which were successful in meeting the requirements of the club were purebred, while 15 others were at least sired by a purebred boar. Only three grade and nine crossbred litters succeeded in reaching the required weight of a ton or more at six months of age.

Others of the 59 ton litters are A. G. Beckman, Clayton; John R. Gelwicks and Sammie Law, Mt. Carroll; Lawrence Woster, Savanna; Kenneth Jacobs, Moweaqua; Ralph R. Shores, Mattoon; Ralph Goodwin, Oblong; Darrell Weston, Sandwich; Ralph McKenzie, Walter; Alvin R. Gray, Tuscola; Kenneth Johnson, Broton; Harry C. Lee and Fred Houlihan, Greenfield; Lowell A. Wirt, Augusta; Tom Reese, Jr., Colona; Ben J. Kallal (two), Jerseyville; S. E. Ecklund, DeLong; Louis Fox, Saunemin; Jerrold Potter, Pontiac; Helen G. Colburn, Beeson; Reginald Mortimer, Virden; Henry Wilhelm, Collinsville; William F. Sigler, LeRoy; H. D. Lantz, Bushnell; Illinois State Normal University Farm, Normal; Mrs. Charles E. Haden, Jacksonville; Luther J. Vortman, Leland; Verries and Alfred Detmer, all of Chapin; Vern Keller, Sullivan; Forrest Foreman, Atwood; T. R. Powell (three), Bayle; Ralph Seeds, Pittsfield; Joseph Normoyle, Coal Valley; George W. Leka, (two), Illinois; P. M. Lanham, J. W. Campbell, Reed M. Perkins and George W. Inslee, all of Springfield; Charles H. Bell, Buffalo; John P. Stout and Alex Dowling, Chatham; John A. Wright, Riverton; J. Walter Drennan, Pawnee; Rolland S. Stone, Farmingdale; Bernard Mulledy, Buffalo; Carl Pahlman, Bluffs; William McCullough, Rigdon; Norris Henry, Shelbyville; L. B. Edman & Son, Mascoutah; Henry H. Merzmann, Jr., Belleville; John L. Hamm, Wyoming; Edward Harper, Potomac; Glen Brothers, Rockford, and R. J. Attig, Metamora.

### Quincy Man, Aged 97, Cuts Wood Every Day

Quincy, Ill.—(AP)—A man who reads his paper each night without the aid of glasses, secures all his amusements in the church—this is Simon Heinecke of Quincy, who recently celebrated his 97th birthday reducing old telephone poles to stove wood.

Born in Lippe-Deinold, Germany, Dec. 14, 1830, Mr. Heinecke came to the United States when a young man. Landing in New Orleans, he came up the Mississippi on a steamboat and then on a farm near here. In 1900 he became a resident of Quincy.

With faculties far keener than many a man of half his age, Mr. Heinecke declares he has seen more advancement in the almost-complete century of his life than was seen in the untold thousands of years which preceded it.

"The automobile, the radio, the airplane—all of these I seen. But there is one thing bad—the moving picture. No worse than the theatre is, but not the thing for a Christian, God-fearing man."

"I have never seen a show—and I don't ever intend to."

But of all the marvels of the machine age, Mr. Heinecke feels that the application of power of farm implements is the greatest step in advance that the world has ever taken.

His years of agriculture have seen the change from the cast iron mole board plow to the tractor drawn outfit, from wheat cut with a cradle and threshed with flails to the combine. It is this advance, he declares, which marks the true progress of civilization.

Hal Bardwell says to insure today—tomorrow may be too late. You will find him at the Dixon Loan & Building Ass'n.

Auto Death Tolls in State Growing

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 28.—Prosperity and mechanical ingenuity have conspired to produce and distribute the automobile at a far greater rate than man has been able to adjust himself to the new environment created by it, and as a result, a report issued by Dr. Isaac R. Rawlings, state health director said, that in Illinois, the toll of deaths due to automobiles have jumped from 406 in 1918 to 1,647 in 1926, or an increase of 253 percent in eight years.

"Typhoid fever, diphtheria, scarlet fever, whooping cough, measles, smallpox and infantile paralysis Dr. Rawlings said, killed a total of 1,620

persons while the toll from automobile accidents reached the alarming total of 1,657.

"While doctors and sanitarians are possibly engaged in driving diseases from the face of the earth, mankind in general is just as busy at introducing mechanisms that kill and cripple at a rate which puts to shame most of the epidemic infections. Each year the frightful toll climbs a little higher than the year before. The rate of increase in mortality from accidents just about equals the per capita increase in automobile ownership."

"The heaviest accident toll is among folks under 15 and over 50 years old. Perhaps most of the other age groups are driving cars and thereby escaping being run down so frequently. Doubtless they are somewhat more alert mentally and physically too, than the younger and older group."

"In spite of the injustice of the situation the brunt of preventive caution falls upon the pedestrian as things are now. Folks who ride are far safer than those who walk. Over one-half of those killed last year were pedestrians who were run down. The other most frequent causes of fatal accidents last year in the order of importance, were: collisions between automobiles and trucks; collision between two or more automobiles; collision between automobiles and trains; overturned automobiles; falls from running automobiles; collision with taxicabs; collision with street cars."

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## Thaw and His Movie Proteges



Harry K. Thaw is shown upon his arrival in Los Angeles with Anita Rivers (left) and Susan Hughes, potential screen stars. The girls are under contract to Kenilworth Productions, owned by Thaw. Although Thaw states at present that he has no plans for the girls, it is probable they will be loaned to Hollywood film producers.

### PLEATS AND FLARES

A red georgette frock uses pleats in pointed pattern for its yoke and on the skirt, flared godets for fullness.

New money in use in Palestine bears inscriptions in English, Arabic and Hebrew. There are no gold coins the pound is a paper note, with only silver and copper coins.

## Wire Mill at DeKalb Scene of Bad Blaz

DeKalb, Ill., Dec. 27.—(AP)—T American Steel & Wire Company today was estimating the second fire loss this year at the plant. The spontaneous combustion caused blaze last night, tentatively fixed \$3,000 damage.

## To Amend Mex Oil Law

Mexico City, Dec. 27.—(AP)—T House of Deputies has passed a first reading of a bill sent by President Calles amending articles fourteen and fifteen of the Mexican regulations. The articles will be amended in accordance with the recent Supreme court decision in a Mexican Petroleum Company case. The amendment if passed by Congress would definitely remove a main objection by oil companies to the oil law since it would do away with confirmatory concessions for 50 years in exchange for rights acquired by oil companies before May 1st, 1927.

## Berger Sentenced

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 27.—(AP)—John S. Berger, Los Angeles exposition promoter, and witness for George Remus, was sentenced to ten days jail and fined \$250 and costs, and ordered in immediate custody of the sheriff, by Judge Chester R. Shaw today for contempt of court in presenting a petition signed by the Remus murder trial jurors seeking to have a perjury indictment against him nulled.

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BEWARE OF MARRIED MEN BY ARLINE DE HAAS

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SYNOPSIS  
Myra Martin, secretary to Leonard Gilbert, a divorce lawyer to whom she is engaged, discovers that her younger sister, Helen, has been coming into contact with Huntley Sheldon, a wealthy Don Juan whose wife, Nita, is making a fourth attempt to divorce him. Myra disguises herself and goes to Sheldon's hunting lodge to frighten him into giving up Helen. Sheldon, recognizing Myra, pretends a heart attack, forcing her to remain with him all night. Nita arrives next morning, but Myra escapes without being identified. Then she finds that Helen has eloped with Ralph Naylor. Nita comes to Gilbert's office and Myra fears that she is discovered. But—

CHAPTER XI—Continued  
Myra's heart dropped down into her shoes and took a long time coming back to its normal position. She dreaded what might be said next, but an uncontrollable desire to hear the worst drove her on. "Why, how do you mean?" she questioned.

"Oh, my dear, you should see her, really!" Nita's lips curled in the scorn as she conjured up the picture of the dowdy little person in brogues and glasses. "She is really one of the most homely women I have ever seen in my life. You can't imagine a more unattractive person. Please don't think that I'm saying this because I'm jealous. I've always given Mr. Sheldon credit for good taste, at least. But this time—Oh, the creature's impossible. What he can see in her is more than I can understand."

"Well, we never can choose for other people, though, can we, Mrs. Sheldon?"

"It isn't that, at all. But she's just the type of woman that Mr. Sheldon never did and never could admire."

"Have you seen her?" Myra was leading up to dangerous ground cautiously, hanging eagerly on Nita's every word.

"Seen her, my dear, I certainly have," Nita announced triumphantly. "I've been waiting to get some real evidence on Mr. Sheldon for some time, now, and I've got it at last."

Myra stopped for one moment to thank all her lucky and unlucky stars that Helen had not been there when Mrs. Sheldon arrived. And then she resumed her interest in the conversation, nodding sympathetically.

"I took Bots with me—that's my detective," Nita nodded towards her companion.

At the mention of his name the man sat up and looked about him rather sheepishly, as though he had been caught napping. But as soon as the attention was turned from him he subsided again into his customary lethargy.

"I rather had a hunch that Mr. Sheldon might be at his hunting lodge Saturday night," Nita was continuing, "so bright and early Sunday morning we motored over. We had just arrived when we saw this woman coming from the house, already dressed, her hat pulled down over her eyes, and she was starting for her car that was parked along the drive. Mr. Sheldon had been in the swimming pool, and it was quite evident that he had just said good-bye to her. But I stepped in, at that moment."

"How very thrilling," Myra murmured, and tried to swallow the sickening lump that was rising in her throat. Oh, if Leonard would only ring for her—if something would only stop this recital. She knew it all so well. But she forced herself to be silent, and continued listening.

"Thrilling! My dear, it was simply marvelous. I looked this girl up and down—Oh, I'd know her any place again. She had on the most atrocious walking shoes and a suit that was all lumpy; and mused—why, I wouldn't have worn it to a dog fight."

Myra walked about in the living room, arranging the lights in their alken shades until the room glowed with soft, easy light. All the trials and tribulations of the day—even those of the past forty-eight hours seemed to have faded into the dim distance. She had gone through the grim battle that she dreaded most—the meeting with Mrs. Sheldon, and had come off with colors flying. After all, the worst part of such event was the anticipation, and not the reality. And Leonard would soon arrive, and nothing more would be said of the matter.

It did you good to change your clothes. It almost made you another person. Somehow, clothes lent you their personality; gave you a touch of their own distinction. And this evening Myra had put on a fluffy, shimmering chiffon thing of pale sea green. A bit of rouge gave her the exact touch of color it needed. And the glowing lights made everything seem hazy and ephemeral. Which was just what Myra felt that she needed, after all the startling realism she had recently seen.

The bell rang. That must be Leonard now. Myra glanced quickly at herself in the long mirror, gave a final pat to her hair and opened the door. But in place of her expected visitor she found herself staring at Huntley Sheldon, immaculately dressed, as usual, smiling, as always, he stepped into the room.

"Good evening, Miss Martin. I hope I'm not intruding." He placed his hat on the table and turned to look at Myra.

"What do you mean by coming here?" Myra stood with her back to the door, almost as she Sheldon had stood on that Saturday evening when she had intruded on his small party.

"Do you mind if I smoke?" He took a cigarette from a gold case, lit it, and threw the match into the ash tray.

"What do you mean by coming here?" Myra repeated her question. "You've no right to."

"Come, now, Miss Martin, there's no point in quarreling this way," Sheldon smiled and surveyed the room with a studied air. "I merely stopped in for a moment to give you a friendly piece of advice."

(To be continued)

Galena Youth Runs Into Real Trouble  
Rockford—R. L. Hibbits, age 17, who told police that he came from his home in Galena to Rockford a few days ago with the intention of trying to cash forged checks on local merchants, was arrested Friday night by Patrolman William Kennedy. The youngster was fined \$200 when arraigned in police court this morning on a vagrancy charge.

The fine was assessed it was said for the principal purpose of holding the youth pending an investigation by police of his arrival and subsequent activities in Rockford.

Patrolman Kennedy arrested the young man on complaint that Hibbits had "borrowed" some blank checks from an East State street merchant and then went shopping at another East State street store.

Lover is Suicide  
St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 27.—(AP)—Dependent because of a disagreement two months ago with his sweetheart, Russell T. Johnson, 22, of St. Paul, jumped 75 feet from the high bridge over the Mississippi river here early today and was fatally injured. He died on the way to a hospital.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



My! My! My!

By Martin

MOM 'N POP



Bill Gets a Tip, Too

By Taylor

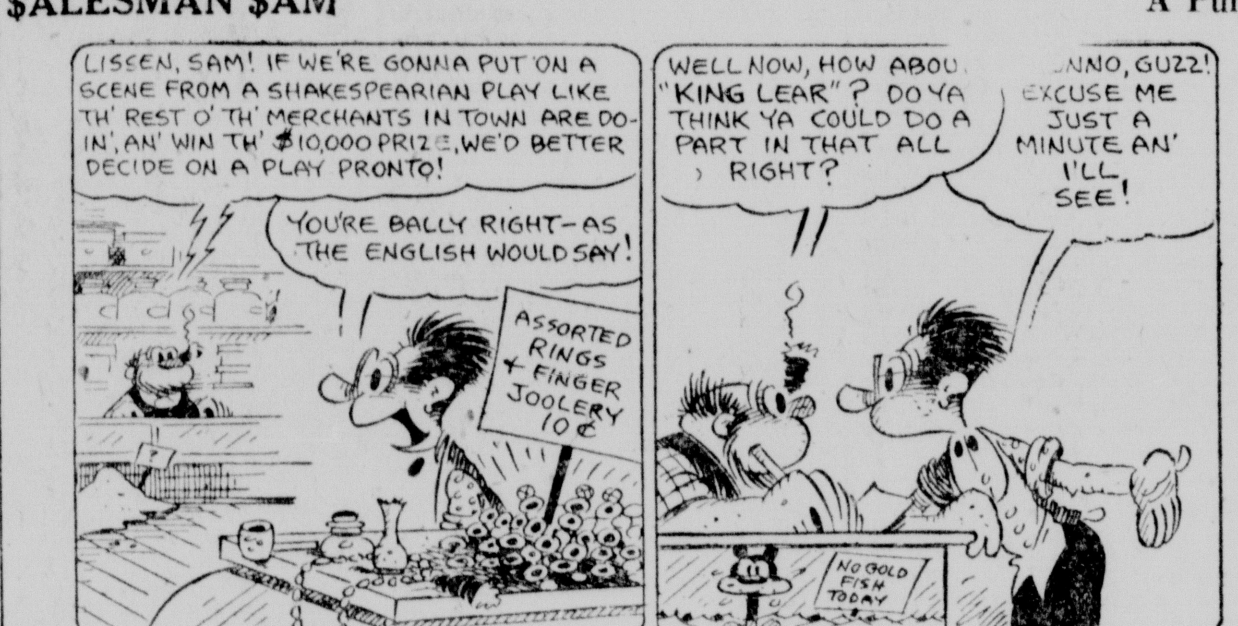
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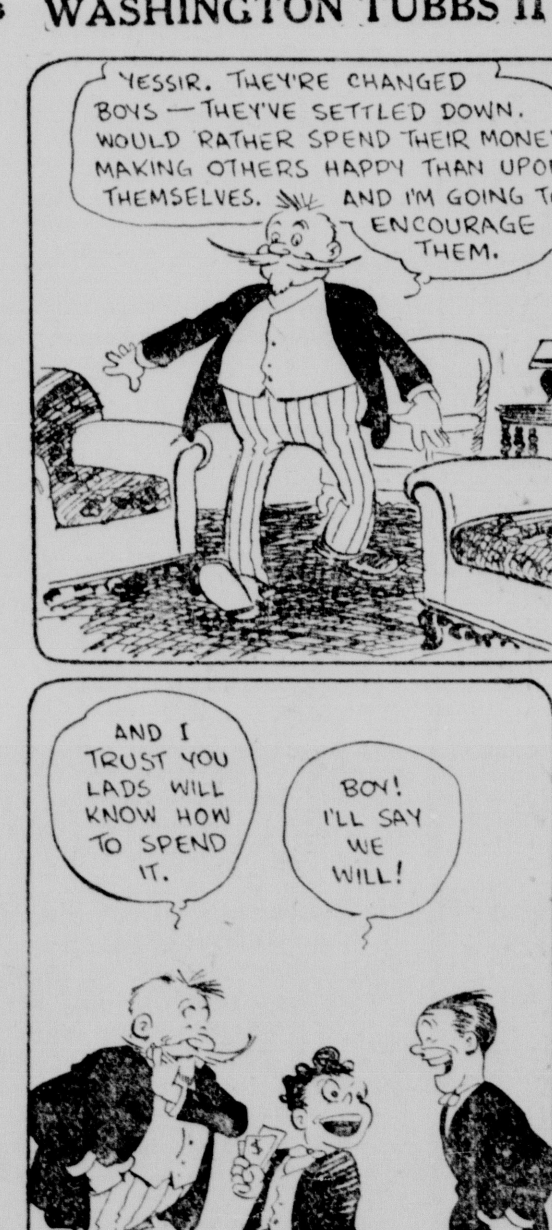
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FOR SALE—Wilton rug 10'x13'. Tel. 893. 2621c

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FOR SALE—Big-6 Studebaker sedan. Has been driven less than 400 miles at price that will surprise you. Courtman & Johnson, Studebaker, 108 N. Galena Ave. 2941c

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FOR RENT—6-room cottage with furnace, bath and garage on cement street. About 5 blocks from court house. \$35 per month. Keyes-Bills Realty Co. 2991c

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FOR RENT—Nice large modern room, suitable for couple or 2 girls; also smaller room. Over Graham Flower Shop, 113 Hennepin Ave. 3021c

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Chicago, Dec. 28—(AP)—America's railway system must not be imperiled by competing transportation agencies which operate under government subsidies, said C. D. Morris, representing the Western Railway's Committee on Public Relations, in an address today.

Only 109 of the 3,069 counties in the United States lack steam railroad service, Mr. Morris said. He declared the rail network so complete that "it is impossible to believe the time will ever come when the steam railroad will not be the backbone of our transportation system."

Drawing attention to the recent rapid development of competing carrier agencies, he urged that these be placed under regulatory laws similar to those which the railways operate.

Will our rural friends who wish to avail themselves of the special offer of \$4.00 for a year's subscription to the Telegraph send in this order before Dec. 31st. After that date the regular price of \$5.00 a year prevails in Lee, Ogle and Bureau counties where the paper is sent by mail.

## MISCELLANEOUS

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WANTED—Agents, men or women, to solicit nursery stock from Illinois & Northern Iowa Nursery. Commission paid every Saturday night. Order books and price list furnished. Call X733, M. Julian, 805 Broadway. 2951c

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### LEGAL NOTICE

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Marshall A. Watson, Jay S. Frye and Edna Mann, Commissioners of said District. 3031c

## Brief Summary of Last Night's News

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Italian steamship Capovado goes aground on Goodwin Sands off Deal, England, in fierce gale; reported in grave danger of sinking.

National Council of Catholic Women filed protest with President Coolidge against "un-Christian and uncivilized persecution carried on in Mexico by the Calles government" and says Ambassador Morrow's friendliness with President Calles and Lindbergh's visit "are widely interpreted as condoning if not approving" acts of Calles government.

High winds and choppy sea halt salvage operations on sunken S-4 off Provincetown, Mass.

Thomas W. Atkinson, acting president of Louisiana State University at Baton Rouge, announces F. T. Gormley, track coach, was dismissed for being drunk at football game on Oct. 22.

## IN ILLINOIS

Chicago woman, Mrs. Leona Emerich, admits jumping into Lake Michigan in attempt to end her life after police told her she had been beaten and tossed into the water by a man whose advances she resisted.

Divorces in Chicago increased 204 and marriages decreased by 1,697 during 1927, clerks of the Circuit Court and marriage license bureau report.

Mail sacks totalling 2,250 distribute first shipment of 1928 Illinois motor car license plates.

James Nelson, Cuba, Ill., spells down 53 of Illinois' best spellers to win state championship for Fulton county for the third time.

Leo Edwards, 18, accidentally discharges shotgun and fatally injures Hurley Claussen, 8, near Hortonville.

## Corn Borer Subject of Coming Studies

Urbana, Ill., (AP)—Threatened invasion of Illinois and the main corn belt by the European corn borer is not to be taken lightly by Illinois authorities who have singled out the subject for a separate and general session during the coming Farmers' Week at the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois, January 9 to 13.

All sectional meetings will be adjourned on the afternoon of January 10 and the Farmers' Week visitors brought together in a general session which will be given over to consideration of the corn borer problem and methods of checking the insect.

Mechanical methods of curbing the borer's ravages will come in for the first attention, in view of the fact that such methods have proved the most effective up to the present time in the corn borer war.

Two speakers, C. O. Reed, professor of agricultural engineering at Ohio State University and R. B. Gray, of the federal department of agriculture, are scheduled to discuss the subject, "Improvement in Mechanical Methods of Destroying the Corn Borer."

"Illinois Work on the Corn Borer Quarantine" will be outlined by S. J. Standard, director of the Illinois State Department of Agriculture, Springfield.

Progress that was made in the corn borer war during 1927 will be reviewed by W. P. Flint, chief entomologist of the Illinois State Natural History Survey, in the opening address.

The chief concern of Illinois farmers in the corn borer problem is the fate of the principal crop. Some of the questions are expected to be cleared up in the address of George H. Dungan, assistant chief in crop production at the agricultural college, on the subject, "Corn Growing in the Corn Borer Infested Area."

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## Growth of State Teachers Society

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 28—(AP)—A gain of 1,288 members in the enrollment of the Illinois State Teachers Association, over last year was announced in a report presented before the seventy-fourth annual meeting of the association, here today by its secretary R. C. Moore.

Moore was accorded a loud ovation by representatives of 33,888 teachers, at his presentation of the secretary's yearly report.

Following his announcement of the membership, activities during the association's year, 1927, Mr. Moore commented briefly on the division activities and the official organ, "The Illinois Teacher."

Concerning the interest of the organization, he said, "Many members of the last General Assembly looked to our organization for information and advice concerning school legislation. I am glad to report that leaders of other prominent organizations in Illinois are taking an increased interest in the work of our Association, by sending to us for copies of the Illinois Teacher, bulletins and reports of committees, research data and other material which we have on file."

"We must work earnestly and sincerely to carry out the purposes of our Association which are to 'promote the welfare of the teachers of the state, to encourage good fellowship and unity of thought and action among them, and to further in every way possible the educational interests of this commonwealth.'"

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# The Blazing Horizon

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BY ERNEST LYNN

## THE STORY THUS FAR

The story is told in the Indian territory and along the Kansas border in the '80's, when a fight was being waged for the opening of the territory to settlement.

Chief characters are: TONY HARRISON, orphaned at 13 when his father was shot in a poker game.

PAWNEE BILL, adventurer, teacher, Indian interpreter, showman.

JOE CRAIG, who takes Tony to the Bar K ranch to live.

TITUS MOORE, owner of the Bar K brand.

RITA, his little tomboy daughter.

Some years later, when Rita and her mother depart for the east and a finishing school, the boy learns for the first time how much he cares for Titus Moore's red-haired, arrogant daughter.

Moore is one of the chief opponents of the movement to open Oklahoma. Word is received that DAVID PAYNE, leader of the movement, is dead and Tony, in his loyalty to Moore, is troubled because of his sympathy for Payne's cause.

He tries to forget Rita Moore and accompanies Pawnee Bill and BUFFALO BILL on a wild west show tour. When he returns, Rita comes back for a visit and Tony is torn in the knowledge of his hopeless love for her.

## CHAPTER XXXIII

SHE spoke sharply to Cherokee and headed him toward home. They rode back to ranch headquarters in silence, for Tony, though he was puzzled by what she had said, forbore from questioning her.

He saw little of her during the next two days; when the third day passed in the same manner he began to think she was avoiding him.

He stiffened, and welcomed the chance to ride over to the 101 ranch with Joe Craig to see George Miller about some Texas longhorns he had bought for wintering and part of which he was willing to dispose of.

Although he had said nothing to Rita about it, he had left Cherokee at the Bar K. When he returned she thanked him. "But you mustn't spoil me," she smiled. "Do you realize you never ride him while I'm here? Just for that I insist that you ride with me this afternoon—and I'll take Tony."

Poor Tony, she added; "she's getting old."

Tony nodded. "The colonel," he said, "will hate to part with her—when the time comes." He had not expected to find her so friendly. The resentment he had been harboring because of her aloofness during the last few days melted away; but he was a little annoyed nevertheless—a little impatient with her rapidly changing moods; he felt that she was not giving much consideration to his feelings.

Sooner or later, he was thinking, he would have to speak—she would have to know the truth. His better judgment told him to keep silent, to maintain the pretense he had kept up for so long; but he felt stifled. It would hurt her, of course; it could not do otherwise. But he would be hurt much more when he learned from her own lips the hopelessness of his longing—and there would be a measure of relief in the cruel pain.

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plaining that I wanted to see the sunset."

It was not too late for that, he assured her. "I've got Tony all saddled."

She watched him admiringly as he vaulted to Cherokee's back, spurring the stirrups. "You once told me," she said, "that you were jealous of Cherokee's affection for me. You needn't be; the horse idolizes you. I wonder if you realize it?"

"We do get along," Tony admitted.

She let her gaze take in the picture of him as he sat so easily and gracefully in the saddle. "Like a centaur," she thought; "I wonder if he is as unconscious of it as he appears to be."

They rode at a gallop, to get to their bill before the sun should slip down below the horizon. As they pulled in at the top of the rise, Rita exclaimed aloud. "We're just in time, Tony! Look!"

She pointed to the west, at a ball of orange fire. "It's beautiful!"

"It is pretty," Tony admitted. He slipped easily to the ground and helped her dismount, and stood silently beside her while they watched the sun disappear.

She was the first to break the spell. "Sunssets always make me sad," she said. "Do they make you feel the same way?"

"A child," he answered, "hates the dark; and I reckon it's some thing we never outgrow."

Rita nodded understandingly. "Tony," she asked presently, "are you afraid of the dark sometimes?"

"Well, no," he admitted after some thought. "I used to rebel somewhat when I was a youngster, because it generally meant bed time. You're not trying to tell me," he added, looking at her queerly, "that you're afraid of the dark?"

She did not answer directly. "The dark," she mused



## FARMERS REVOLT MAY BE RESULT OF SITUATION

At Least That's What  
Former Asst. Sec.  
of Ag. Foresees

Eureka, Ill., Dec. 28.—(AP)—Embattled husbandmen "may be driven to desperate measures for self-protection" unless agriculture is accorded legislative relief "in the same measure as business and industry," Clarence Ousley, former Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, told an audience of farmers here today.

Col. Ousley, director of the Texas Safe Farming Association of Dallas, declared that neither the administration nor big business seem to have a real understanding of the essential factor involved in the agricultural problem, or a real sympathy for the producer.

"The temptation," he said, "is to appeal to emotion and passion, and raise a revolt that will tear down though it may not build up. Let me warn the political and big business powers; farmers are only a minority, but they have a balance of power in national affairs. They hold, however, the key to the nation'sarder, to the nation's physical life."

"Beware, less they be driven to desperate measures for self-protection. They are not a sudden benighted peasantry. They are lords of the soil, feeding and clothing the nation."

"Earnings of the average farm family are about 77 percent of the earnings of 1920. Decline in agricultural investments from 1920 to 1927 is from \$79,000,000,000 to \$58,000,000,000; taxes on farm property increased from \$344,000,000,000 in 1914 to \$870,000,000,000 in 1925."

"Agriculture contributes 19.8 percent of the revenue of Class I railroads, though it furnishes less than 11 percent of the tonnage of these roads."

**Incipient Revolt**  
"I submit that the same situation should confront factory employees, railroad employees or bank employees, such a clamor would be raised as to signify an incipient revolution. Yet, when agriculture is in such a plight, it produces no greater concern than to induce a political gesture at the national capitol, a casual shrug in the clearing houses of the United States."

"It is really difficult to be patient with such an attitude."

Mr. Ousley scouted the theory that the farmer had gotten himself into his predicament by poor management and inefficient methods. Farm efficiency, he said, has made equal progress with other industrial efficiency, and farmers are today "doing a better job of farming than ever before."

Suppluss, due to uncontrollable weather, presents the outstanding obstacle to agricultural stability, he declared. Over a period of five years, the lean years eat up the surplus of the fat years; but the fat years break the farmer and make the commercial speculator. Absorption or disposition of the surplusses would make possible the sale of the remaining supply at prices at least equaling the cost of production.

**Board Impossible**

The speaker saw in the equalization fee, incorporated in the McNary-Haugen or other farm relief bill, the only practical solution of the agricultural problem. President Coolidge's National Farm Board with an original appropriation of \$300,000,000 "provides no replenishment in case of loss, nor a means of distributing the loss, or the gain, in handling surplus," he said.

"Quibblers and super-sensitive constitutionalists insist," he said, "that it is a device unauthorized by the constitution. I recall, however, that every important advance in governmental policy has been challenged as unconstitutional. I decline to accept the dictum of Calvin Coolidge and Senator Borah, and prefer to await the opinion of the Supreme Court."

Farm relief as a presidential issue might bring about, the speaker declared, a re-fortifying of the political and economic alliance between the West and the South, which fell in the Civil War. The two sections are in a mood now, more than ever before, to overcome prejudices and consider political issues in their true economic effect.

**NOW'S HER CHANCE**  
HUSBAND: Luella, I have a confession to make!  
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## Illinois Briefs

Peoria—Basketball men at Bradley College will receive a short rest during the holidays after they will resume their schedule with the University of Michigan as their foe at Ann Arbor. Coach Robertson has rounded together a neat looking team and for this season has undertaken a rather stiff schedule. Other hard games are with Loyola, Cornell, Illinois Wesleyan, University, Eureka, and Millikin.

Galesburg—More than 30 miles of roads will be graveled in this county from funds provided by Knox county's share of the state gasoline tax. The board of supervisors announced that approximately \$120,000 will be expended in the road program.

Springfield—Blind persons moving from one county to another can hardly escape losing their pension for six months, Attorney General Carlstrom has ruled in effect.

His ruling answered a query from the state's attorney of DeWitt county, who wished to know if a blind person moving from one county may continue to receive aid under the Blind relief act after removal from the county, until he is able to qualify in the county to which he moved.

In answer, the attorney general quoted the section of law in question, which provides in part that relief shall be granted "while they are residents of said county." A legal residence is acquired by six months residence within a county. No provision is made, the attorney general said for aid to blind persons during a time when they may be establishing a domicile or residence in a different county from that in which the aid had been allowed.

Rock Island—Pledges to the Augustana College \$1,500,000 expansion fund campaign, have already begun to come, although the drive will not get under way until next spring. A gift of \$75,000 was the very first. Dr. O. H. Pannkoke of Chicago, has established headquarters, and will direct the campaign from the college campus. Support for the campaign, has been pledged by the Iowa, Illinois and Superior conferences of the Augustana synod.

The expansion program calls for the erection of a boy's dormitory, dining hall, conservatory, chapel, science hall and a girls' dormitory. The latter is already nearing completion. The science hall will cost \$500,000.

Urbana, Ill.—(AP)—Co-eds of the University of Illinois, cut quite a figure in campus athletics here it is said. The latest sport fad is the selection of all-star women's teams.

Not only have the women selected all-star hockey and soccer teams, but they now hold championship banquets at which the team captains for the succeeding year are elected. Next year's hockey and soccer captains at similar banquets this year, two of whom were sisters, were announced as follows: Hockey: Eleanor P. Parmelle, Urbana; Katherine Fishbaugh, Oak Park; and Dorothy, St. Louis, Mo.; Soccer: Dorothy and Jane McClure of Blue Mound, and Kathryn Behr, Kewanee.

## COMPTON NEWS

COMPTON—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thompson and children were guests at the Vernie Olson home over Friday and Saturday. They left Sunday for their home near Chicago.

Freemont Kaufman spent the Christmas vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kaufman, and will return to Chicago early next week for his studies at the university there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dishong and son Brett and wife will spend the holiday week here at the John Tribbett home.

Wellington Butler has returned to his home here after spending the entire summer and fall driving a Holt tractor for a construction company.

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## ABE MARTIN

European iron men don't seem to stand 'th' strain any better than some of our thin spaced statesmen. Th'er's nothin' new about companionate marriages but th' name.

in Wisconsin. He will remain here for nearly a month before returning to his work at Madison.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Zinke will stay here this winter with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Swope. Mr. and Mrs. Zinke have resided on a farm near Ashton for the past year and early next spring will move on a farm out south of West Brooklyn.

The M. E. Ladies Aid Society of the Compton church will meet at the home of Mrs. Dee D. Thompson, on Wednesday, Jan. 4th, 1928, at 2:30 p. m. Kindly take notice and come prepared to sew.

A large crowd attended the shoot held here by the Compton Gun Club on Monday. In the one hundred bird event William L. Schoof of Walnut headed the match. Delegations attended from Walnut, Paw Paw, Mendota, Wedron, Ottawa, Steward, West Brooklyn and LaMotte. A similar shoot will be held on Washington's birthday, Feb. 22, 1928.

Miss Esther Florschuetz was married to Roland Gaten of Ottawa last Thursday evening, at 7 o'clock. The ceremony was held at the Brooklyn Lutheran Parsonage with Rev. W. A. Burzloff tying the knot. The bride and bridegroom were attended by the bride's sister, Mrs. B. W. Ulch and her husband, Virginia Mae, the attendants' little daughter, the at-dinner was served at the bride's home. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mrs. George Florschuetz. The bridegroom is one of the four sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gaten of Sturgis, Kentucky. He is employed as a mechanic at the Norman Whitman garage at Marseilles. Friday morning the happy couple left for Sturgis, Kentucky, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gaten, who have been staying at Ottawa, during the past month. The bride has a large circle of friends here who wish her well.

The local chapter of the O. E. A. and the Brooklyn A. F. & A. M. held a joint public installation of officers at their hall on Thursday of this week.

The officers of the Masonic lodge were installed first by M. W. Past Master C. C. Archer of Dixon with Past Master Leslie M. Corwin as marshal of ceremonies. Then Mrs. N. J. Bernardin, Past Worthy Matron of the O. E. S. installed the officers, elective and appointive, for the ensuing year.

Bruce W. Gilmore, Senior Warden, was elevated to the title of Worshipful Master. Other officers installed

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## BLAMES DIVORCE EVIL FOR CRIME PERCENTAGE NOW

President of States  
Attorneys Assn.  
Has Theory

Chicago, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Divorces are directly responsible for a large percentage of crime, C. W. Reed, DuPage county State's Attorney, declared today. He was here to attend the annual meeting of the Illinois States Attorneys Association, of which he is president.

"We find that the majority of major crimes in Illinois are committed by boys in their teens, most of them around eighteen," he said. "And as a rule the parents of these boys have been divorced or are separated."

Attorney Reed advocated making State's Attorneys parties to every divorce suit to protect the interests of children. In many cases the grounds offered do not justify granting a divorce and a separation might be averted.

Charles W. Hadley, Assistant Attorney General, said in an address that the two major evils law officials must contend with are abuse of the writ of habeas corpus and dodging of jury duty by members of society most fitted to serve.

Prediction that the McNary-Haugen farm relief bill, with a few minor changes, would pass at this session of congress, was made by Congressman Henry Rathbone who attended the sessions.

## Write Book on Life in Ethiopia Land

Chicago, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Back from an unconquered land where white men had never been before, Dr. Wilfred H. Osgood, Curator of mammals at the Field Museum of Natural History, and James E. Baum, have their adventures in Ethiopia, otherwise known as Abyssinia, set down in black and white for all to read.

Much detail that hitherto has not been told of their strange encounters are found in the book, done by Mr. Baum, and entitled, "Savage Abyssinia". Beside the book, Dr. Osgood has prepared a lecture, illustrated with motion pictures, taken by another

member of the party, C. Suydam Cutting of New York, former court tennis champion.

They tell of the native girl, who, when she saw Dr. Osgood, declared he was the funniest man she ever saw. She had never seen a white man before.

The Abyssinian's besetting vice is talk, running into flights of oratory on the slightest pretext. Gold is plentiful in the land, but there are customs officers sometimes every few miles apart to take their toll, from caravans and other passersby. Coins in that strange land must all bear the date of "1780" or the natives discountenance them.

Airplanes are forbidden to enter the country, due to religious prejudice. Firearms are virtually unused in the interior and brilliantly colored birds, and spotted beasts thrive almost unmolested.

There are rare beasts, found no place else on earth and before the Field Museum Expedition made its acquisitions, there were no exhibits of them in the museum.

A note of sadness closes memoirs of the expedition. Louis Agassiz Furbert, ornithologist member of the party, braved all dangers of the trip, only to return home and die in an automobile accident.

## Seek Revision of Ohio Jury System

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 27.—(AP)—Action of the jury following its acquittal of George Remus, former "king of bootleggers" on the "sole ground of insanity" for the shooting to death of his wife Imogene, may result in steps to reform the jury system in Cincinnati and Ohio by the Cincinnati Bar Association.

A special meeting of the association has been called for next Thursday night, Judge Walter A. Ryan, Sr., announced. He said corrective steps probably will be recommended in regard to jury selection.

The Remus verdict in itself was thought to be fairly characteristic of the sentimentalism of American juries, but the action of the jurors in petitioning trial Judge Chester R. Shook to quash the perjury indictment against John S. Berger, a witness for Remus, and to release Remus on bond pending his insanity hearing has no parallel in American jurisprudence, lawyers said.

The twelve Remus jurors were ordered to appear in Judge Shook's court today and apologize for pre-

senting their petition in behalf of Berger. Berger, a Los Angeles, Calif., exposition promoter, was ordered also to appear for sentence.

Remus' hearing on the insanity charge is to be held in Probate Court tomorrow.

The ten men and two women jurors separately offered apologies to Judge Shook for signing a petition requesting that Berger be freed of charges in a perjury indictment. The jurors also withdrew their names from the petition.

## Slayer Captured

Pikeville, Ky., Dec. 27.—(AP)—Homer Mitchell, 42, negro, charged with slaying Malcolm Sloan, 38, following an argument at Wolfpit Saturday night, was captured a mile back in a lower seam of the Corrigan McKinney Steel Company's coal mine here yesterday.

Mitchell was found by Samuel Watkins, trackman, and James Trimble, pumper, members of a crowd of 150 men who had searched for him since the death of Sloan.

As the captors neared Wolfpit with their prisoner, he made a break for liberty. Members of the posse opened fire on him after calling to him to halt and wounded him in the hip and hand. He was recaptured and taken to Pikeville for safe-keeping.

## Wounded Thief Dies

Bloomington, Ill., Dec. 27.—(AP)—Caleb Potts shot in abdomen during a robbery of the Butler Hotel here, died today. The bandits obtained \$75 in the holdup staged last night. W. H. Goff of Waukegan was slightly wounded. One of the three bandits is believed to have been wounded in the exchange of bullets.

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## MONTH'S FIGHT TO SAVE GIRL'S LIFE IS ENDED

Death Victorious in  
Battle Waged for  
Over 36 Days

Oconto, Neb., Dec. 27.—(AP)—The stubborn fight to save the life of Alma Overgard, the 16-year-old high school girl, who has lived for 36 days through the aid of artificial respiration, ended today. The girl died at 8:30 o'clock this morning, conscious to the end.

Falling since Christmas Day the girl's strength was almost gone last night. For the first time during her fight for life she complained she was in pain.

Death ended the thirty-six day and night battle, wherein friends and relatives have unceasingly assisted in artificial respiration, alternately pressing the girl's body and raising and lowering her arms. There was no respite until death won.

At the bedside were the father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Overgard. Steve Overgard, an uncle, was bending over the child pressing air in and out of her lungs and whispering encouragement to her when she died.

Alma did not know she was dying and those making the fight to save her life did not tell her.

More than a month ago the child was stricken with paralysis. A twin sister was ill at the same time, but recovered to aid in the fight for life.

This year more than 50 per cent of the students at Robert College, an American institution in Constantinople, are Turks, as compared with only 5 per cent before the war.

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